

Selectmen and citizens to sue appeals board

By Elaine DePasquale
Wilmington selectmen voted unanimously Monday night to join with a citizens group in suing the Wilmington Board of Appeals.

The appeals board has come under fire for granting a special permit, despite the objections of several town boards, to Bioassay Systems, an animal testing laboratory.

The permit, granted on February 14, would allow Bioassay Systems to raise and test a maximum of 7,000 rodents and small animals in a facility on Cornell Place. The area is zoned industrial but lies within 600 feet of the homes of Marcus Road residents.

Prior to granting the permit, area residents had protested the action to the Board of Appeals and to several other town boards including the selectmen, the Conservation Commission, the Planning Board and the Board of Water Commissioners. Among their concerns were possible contamination of town water supplies, especially nearby Barrows wellfield and danger to neighborhood children and pets if any of the rodents should escape.

Each board responded with a negative communication to the appeals board relative to granting the permit.

"We were shocked when the decision did come down," said Selectman James Banda to a group of nearly 100 residents who met at the Woburn Street School last Thursday to discuss possible legal action. Under current statute, unless court action is initiated by March 5, Bioassay Systems will be free to open its doors.

At the Thursday night meeting, financial support for the suit was promised by 49 families, an estimated 70 per cent of those present according to Joseph Cunningham, a leader of the movement.

Jacqueline Allaman, member of the Conservation Commission and a Mar-

cus Road resident, said projected costs for legal counsel would range anywhere from \$1,500 to \$4,000.

Although opposition to the testing laboratory has been spearheaded by residents of the Marcus Road area, both the residents and town officials have stressed that the problem has town-wide ramifications.

"Legally there is no abuttor because of the distance of over 300 feet," Richard Seville said Thursday night. "But we believe the whole town of Wilmington are the abutters."

"We feel that the Board of Appeals has made a mistake. They did not take into account the best interests of the citizens of Wilmington," said Lester White, a Marcus Road resident and a member of the School Committee. White's home is among those closest to the proposed location.

This is not the first time in Wilmington's history that one town board has participated in a suit against another. Approximately six years ago, according to Banda, the selectmen initiated and won a suit against the Board of Appeals for granting a variance for a low-income housing project at the corner of Concord and Woburn streets. At that time, as at present, owner of the property in question was the Tambone Corporation. Because of the favorable court decision, Tambone withdrew its plans for the development.

According to Banda, similar reasons for concern existed in both cases. Part of the reason that the selectmen sought to overturn the Board of Appeals decision on the low-income housing development, he said, was that the project was situated near the Ipswich River.

"What we don't want to do is start a precedent," said Chairman of the Board Aldo Cairra, however, at the selectmen's regular meeting Monday night. Cairra said that he was afraid that too many such suits could develop

an "adversary" situation between the selectmen and the Board of Appeals.

According to Town Counsel Alan Altman, the suit which will be filed to prevent Bioassay's location in Wilmington will be a "de novo" procedure which negates any evidence or decisions already established and requires Bioassay to begin all over again in presenting its case. The burden of proof, he said, rests with the applicant, Bioassay.

Altman also said, however, that the residents and the selectmen would have to come up with "some facts and some law" if they hoped to be successful.

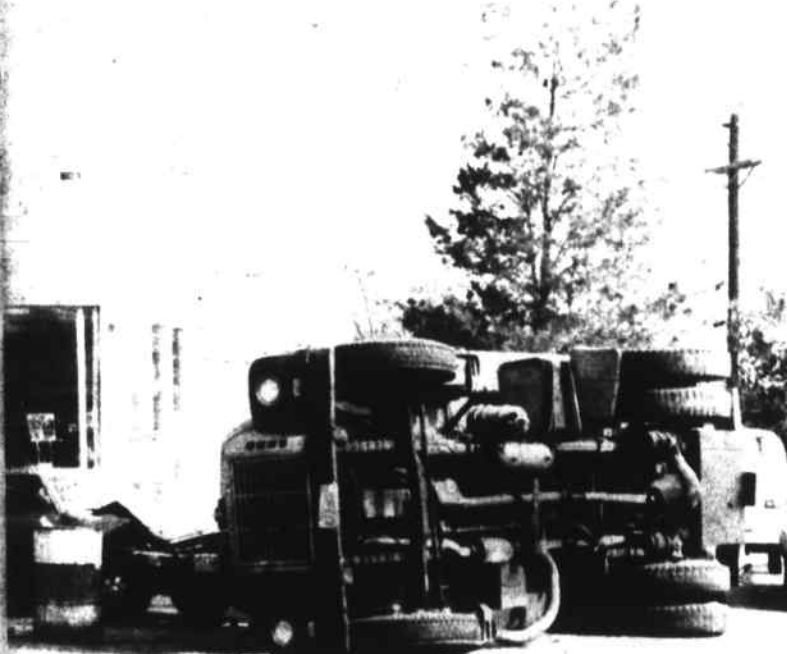
"From everything I have read," he said, "All the boards and commissions that opposed it (Bioassay Systems), really opposed it on generalities rather than on any specifics."

Selectman Rocco DePasquale concurred. "I will do everything I can to help your cause," he told the residents, "but I am afraid we are up against a stone wall."

Because of what he termed an "ambiguous" and "unusual" situation, Altman said it would mean a conflict of interest for him to represent both the Board of Appeals and the selectmen. However, he said, it would not be necessary for the Board of Appeals to retain counsel or even to appear in court since, by law, they cannot be considered in default.

Present at the Monday night meeting was Dr. Robert Mobbs, a Wilmington scientist and physician. Dr. Mobbs, who toured Bioassay Systems' present facility in Cambridge last week with several interested citizens, said he did not see any grave hazard in allowing the firm to locate in Wilmington.

"In 30 years, I have always criticized chemicals," he said. "In looking at this situation, I am not sure I can go that way."



Truck turns turtle

An oil truck belonging to Dave's Fuel rolled over in South Wilmington last Thursday, narrowly missing the gasoline pumps at Frank's Amoco Station on Main Street. Driver Richard Jenkins escaped injury. He lost control of the truck when a wheel became entangled in a chain. Rather than hit the pumps, he rolled the truck, hitting a parked foreign car.

Knights' license given state approval

The Wilmington Knights of Columbus at long last have a liquor license.

The state Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission (ABCC) voted last week to approve the granting of the license by the Wilmington Board of Selectmen.

The granting of the license had been protested to the ABCC by several neighbors of the K of C Hall, which is located behind St. Thomas' Church.

The approval of the license concluded the fourth attempt of the lodge to secure such a permit. In the past, the license had been granted by the Board of Selectmen, only to be turned down by the ABCC. The last such action by the ABCC was as recent as last October. At that time, the ABCC cited the fact that the K of C had been serving liquor without a license, as its reason for denying the license. It was also critical of the Board of Selectmen for granting it, noting that all five members of the board were also members of the K of C.

The hearing for the license was held in Boston last Thursday, in the Saltonstall office building. Five residents of the area turned out to speak against the granting of the per-

mit. The K of C, operating under the name of the 4982 Building Association, was represented by Attorney Joseph Courtney. Selectmen Robert Cain and Rocco DePasquale both attended the hearing, as did K of C member Dwight Maxwell, who also lives near the K of C Hall.

Mrs. Rosemary McGinley of Middlesex Avenue told the ABCC of her problems with traffic from the K of C Hall. She lives next door to the parking lot of St. Thomas' Church. All traffic going to and from the hall passes through that parking lot.

Mrs. McGinley told the ABCC that when she attended the hearing for the liquor license at the town hall, that the vote of Selectman James Banda, who was absent, was announced as affirmative, even before the residents had been heard.

"I feel that I'm at a kangaroo hearing every time I go to that town hall," she said. "I feel that it's very hard for me to raise my children with any respect for the law with what's happening."

John Sanborn of Church Street also spoke against the granting of the permit.

Three women, all residents of School Street told the ABCC of their opposition to the license. The address of the hall is on School Street, but the road was dead-ended to block traffic from the hall from using the residential street. The women said that cars

Election Saturday

Saturday is election day in Wilmington.

In what has been a very quiet campaign, voters will choose candidates for one seat on the Board of Selectmen, two three-year terms on the School Committee, and one seat on the Shawsheen Vocational School Committee. The offices of moderator, Redevelopment Authority and a two-year term on the School Committee are also on the ballot, each with an unopposed candidate.

Seeking re-election to the Board of Selectmen is Robert Cain. His opponent is Dan Wandell, the deputy fire chief.

Two incumbents, Linda McMenimen and James Demos, are seeking to hold their seats on the School Committee. They are challenged by Arthur Ryder.

Shawsheen Tech Representative Frank McLean is running for re-election against Sidney Kaiser.

Unopposed candidates are Moderator John Callan, Carl Backman, Jr. of the Redevelopment Authority, and School Committeeman Philip Fenton.

The polls will be open from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the high school.

Federal Street hearing postponed

Federal Street residents breathed a temporary sigh of relief Tuesday night, when a legal technicality forced Wilmington builder James Tighe to withdraw his request for a variance to build four homes on that street.

Nearly 30 residents of Federal Street and its immediate vicinity had packed the tiny town hall annex to voice their opposition to the proposed construction. Many present were among those hit hardest by flooding last month when two torrential rainstorms caused nearby Maple Meadow Brook to overflow its banks.

According to Federal Street resident Lillian Miselis, Tighe's proposal was to construct four homes on a hillock directly behind four existing homes with frontage on Federal Street. Access to the street, she said, would be achieved by two common driveways, each shared by two of the proposed homes.

The property lies near Maple Meadow Brook.

In a prepared statement, Tighe told the abutters the reason for his withdrawal was that the request for a variance was improperly worded. The application, he said, should have also requested permission to install driveways within a flood plain and the septic systems within 50 feet of a flood plain.

Tighe said that he had been advised by his attorney only an hour before the hearing that the application, as worded, was illegal. At a future date, he said, he would re-submit the application for a variance with proper notification to abutters, as prescribed by law.

Part-time coordinator hired for Drop-in Center

An emergency situation was averted Monday night, when the Board of Selectmen gave its o.k. to Town Manager Sterling Morris to hire Edith Cunningham as part-time, temporary coordinator for the Senior Citizen Drop-in Center.

Cunningham has been working at the Drop-in Center for several months, but has been paid by Minuteman Home Care Corporation (MMHC) a regional agency to which the Wilmington Council of Aging belongs and pays dues of \$1,200 a year.

Because of the resignation of former coordinator Pat Bradbury, however, MMHC refused to fund the

position any longer and was about to transfer Cunningham to Burlington.

This would have left the Drop-in Center without a coordinator.

"We are unable to function at the Drop-in Center without one," Council on Aging Chairman Lorraine Brodyna told the selectmen.

Cunningham, on leave of absence from MMHC, will continue as acting coordinator until July 1, the beginning of the new fiscal year.

At Town Meeting, citizens will have to decide whether or not to continue to fund the position of full-time coordinator for the Drop-in Center at a salary of approximately \$10,000.

TOWN OF WILMINGTON



Board of Selectmen ANNUAL TOWN MEETING TO BE ADJOURNED TO LATER DATE

Because pending legislation introduced by Governor King, if enacted, would seriously effect local spending, the Board of Selectmen is proposing that the 1979 Annual Town Meeting be adjourned to late April. Actual date will be set as soon as the necessary information is forthcoming from the State.

Aldo A. Cairra, Chairman
F28,M7 Board of Selectmen

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Children entering the Wilmington Public Schools Kindergarten must register during the

WEEK OF MARCH 12

between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. at one of the following schools:

Boutwell, Buzzell, Shawsheen, Walker, Wildwood and Woburn Street. If your youngster reaches age five on or before August 31, he or she should be registered at this time.

NOTE: Parents entering children in Kindergarten will also register at this time for the Chapter 766 Pre-School screening. This Screening will be conducted early in May and further information will be forthcoming. Also parents of three-year-olds desiring to have their children screened for possible learning problems should register at the appropriate school during this same week.

coming events

Tues., and Thurs., Feb. 27-Mar. 1: 7 to 10 p.m., Free CPR program at Regional Health Center.

Wed., Feb. 28: 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Free ACS Stop Smoking program. Choate Hospital 933-6700 ext. 110.

Wed., Feb. 28: 7 p.m., Ukrainian egg decorating demonstration at Wil. Memorial Library. Free.

Wed., Feb. 28: 7:30 p.m. Tewks. School Comm. meeting at Dewing School.

Thurs., Mar. 1: Last day to file applications for scholarships with Tewks. Rotary.

Thurs., Mar. 1: Pre-registration for three pre-school hours at Tewks. Patten Public Library. Register at the library. Information, Mrs. McLeon, 851-6071.

Thurs., Mar. 1: 7:30 p.m. Rep. Miceli's first district town meeting at Tewksbury Town Hall.

Fri., Mar. 2: 10 a.m., Campfire leaders meeting at Wil. Public Library.

Fri., Mar. 2: 1 p.m. open house and free demonstration at Academy of Fencing, 125 Walnut St., Watertown.

Fri., Mar. 2: 8 p.m., Wilmington Methodist Church. Campfire Drug Program for all Campfire members, seventh grade or over, parents and leaders. 658-5373 for information.

Fri., Mar. 2: Wil. Baptist Church Adult Ski Retreat weekend. 658-8584.

Sat., Mar. 3: Charity auction by Tewks. Newcomers' Club at Elks Lodge. 851-7866 to make contribution.

Sat., Mar. 3: 9 a.m. to noon, free CPR program at Regional Health Center.

Sat., Mar. 3: 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Wil. Town elections, high school gym.

Sat., Mar. 3: Civil Service exam for Police Lieutenant for Tewks.

Sat., Mar. 3: 4:30 p.m. Last day to file nomination papers with Tewks. Town Clerk.

Sat., Mar. 3: 8 p.m. dance by Tewks. Youth Skating Assoc. at K of C Hall.

Sun., Mar. 4: 12:30 p.m. Wil. Rec. Boston Celtics' game. 658-6512 for tickets.

Sun., Mar. 4: 2 to 4 p.m. Free open house tour and refreshments at Wil. Harnden Tavern, Salem Street.

Mon., Mar. 5: 10:15 a.m. first Monday session of pre-school story hour at Tewks. Pub. Lib. Register in person Mar. 1.

Mon., Mar. 5: 7:30 p.m. Emblem Club meeting at Elks Hall.

Thurs., Mar. 6: 9 to 10 a.m., Reg. monthly free immunization clinic, Wil. Children three months to school age at Wil. Town Hall Annex, Middlesex Avenue.

Tues. Mar. 6: 10 a.m. Ground-breaking ceremonies at new Tewks. Drop-in Center on Chandler Street.

Tues., Mar. 6: 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. first Yoga class by Wil. Rec at Glen Road School. Register at 658-6512.

Tues & Fri., Mar. 6 & 9: 11:15 a.m., first Monday and Friday sessions of pre-school story hour at Tewks. Pub. Lib. Register in person on Mar. 1.

Wed., Mar. 7: 8 p.m., Cards and Games Night by Wilmington Newcomers' Club. Shirley Aumack, 658-6091 for details.

Thurs., Mar. 8: 7:30 p.m., Middl. North Chapter Mass. Soc. of Genealogists monthly meeting at Lowell Pub. Library. Public invited.

Sat., Mar. 10: 10 a.m. to noon. U.S. Rep. James Shannon at Tewks. Town Hall.

Sat., Mar. 10: 1 p.m., Campfire sleigh ride at Elm Brook Farm, Bedford.

Sat., Mar. 10: Greater Lowell Council Annual Awards Dinner at Spaul House. Advance reservations at Scouting office, 458-6836.

Sat., Mar. 10: 1:30 p.m. Wil. Town Meeting at High School gym.

Sat., Mar. 10: Wil. Sons of Italy Anniversary Dance.

Sun., Mar. 11: 2:30 p.m. Emblem Club No. 381 annual installation and visitation ceremonies at Elks Hall. Public invited. 657-7829 for tickets.

Mon., Mar. 12: 9:15 to 3:45 p.m. Internal Rev. mobile van at Wil Plaza to help seniors fill out income tax forms.

Mon., Mar. 12: 8 p.m., Reg. meeting Greater Lowell Mothers of Twins Club at Russell Mill Tennis Club, Chelmsford.

Tues., Mar. 13: Rotary District 793 first annual ski meet at Loon Mtn., Lincoln, N.H.

Tues., Mar. 13: 7:30 p.m. Tewks. Youth Skating Assoc meeting at Town Hall. All parents and members must attend.

Wed., Mar. 14: 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Wil seniors' Bus trip to Quincy Market, Boston.

Wed., Mar. 14: 1 to 2 p.m. free immunization clinic for pre-school and school children at Tewks. Bd. of Health. Appt. necessary. 851-6371.

Thurs., Mar. 15: 8 p.m., Wil. H.S. music dept. annual Jazz Band Concert in H.S. auditorium.

Fri., Mar. 16: 8 p.m. Wil. H.S. P.A.C. Scholarship Dance and buffet at Sons of Italy. Tickets, call Mr. Lynch at H.S. 658-4556.

Fri., Mar. 16: 8:15 p.m., Wil. Carter Lecture Fund program, "An Evening of Irish Music."

Sat., Mar. 17: 7 to 11 a.m., St. Patrick's Day pancake breakfast by Tewks. Jaycees at Tewks. Cong. Church. 99, "all you can eat." Public invited.

Sat., Mar. 17: last day to file applications to coach Tewks. Youth skaters with Sec. A. Duncan, 4 Chester St., Tewks.

Sun., Mar. 18: open house at Tewks. new DPW garage on Pine Street.

Mon., Mar. 19: 7 to 10 p.m., Outdoor training for all Campfire leaders at Elks Club, Tewks.

Tues., Mar. 20: Monthly meeting of Tewks. Youth Skating Assoc. directors and coaches.

Wed., Mar. 21: 8 p.m., So. Wil. Betterment Assoc. regular meeting at Wil. K of C Hall.

Thurs., Mar. 22: Tewks. Junior H.S. Science Fair night.

Sat., Mar. 24: 7 to 11 p.m., Wil. Tennis Club Social at Old Colony Tennis Club, Andover. Call Charlie Bishop at 658-6066 to sign up.

Mon., Mar. 26: 8 p.m., COPE meeting at home of Ana Petro Roy. 458-7005 for details.

Please submit items for coming events listing at least one week before desired date of publication.

Tech swim program begins March 1

The physical education department at Shawheen Tech has announced a spring schedule of swimming programs which includes expanded family swim time. Starting March 1, family swim will continue to meet from 8 to 9:30 p.m. on Monday through Friday, for the same \$10.00 per month. In addition to these hours, member families will be able to swim from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. every Sunday. Adults and children accompanied by adults are urged to take advantage of this program by registering at the pool on the day they wish to swim.

An American Red Cross Advanced Life Saving Course will be run on Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 8:30 p.m. to 5:00 starting February 15. Applicants must be 15 or over and be able to swim 500 yards. The pool fee for the course is \$10.00. Pre-registration is requested.

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Games night March 7

The regular monthly meeting, on Wednesday, March 7 of the Wilmington Newcomers' Club will feature a Cards and Games Night at the Wilmington Public Library, beginning at eight o'clock.

All Wilmington residents are invited to attend and to bring favorite game such as Scrabble or a deck of cards.

Church choirs to present cantata

The Wilmington area church choirs will present John W. Peterson's cantata, "No Greater Love" on Palm Sunday, April 8 at 7 p.m.

Anyone in the Wilmington area with a reasonable knowledge of music is most welcome to take part.

A rehearsal will be held on Sunday, March 11 at 9 p.m. at the First Baptist Church. Contact Bob Gedney, 658-8294 for information.

Campfire Drug Program

The Greater Boston Council for Campfire will sponsor a Drug Program on Friday, March 2 at the Wilmington Methodist Church beginning at 8 p.m.

The program will be open to all Campfire members, seventh graders and older and their leaders. Parents of all Campfire boys and girls, no matter what level, are invited to attend.

Tewksbury immunization clinic

The Tewksbury Health Department offers free immunizations to pre-school and school age children on a monthly basis.

Beginning September, 1979, the School Immunization Law will require that all newly enrolled kindergarten children be immunized against mumps and rubella.

If a child will be entering kindergarten in September and has not been immunized against these diseases, parents are urged to contact the Board of Health for an appointment - 651-6371.

The next free immunization clinic will be held on March 14 between 1:00 and 2:00 p.m. An appointment is necessary.

Sandra Lee Moore to wed in June

Mr. and Mrs. Eric E. Moore of 35 Concord St., Wilmington have announced the engagement of their daughter, Sandra to Gary L. Perry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Perry of 274 Rangeway Road, Waverley.

A June wedding is planned.

Beatrice Moore Feb. 28 Birthday

We watched you suffer, day by day,
It caused us bitter grief,
To see you slowly fade away,
When there was no relief.

The blow was great, the shock severe,
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The pain of parting without farewell.

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Fond memories linger every day,
Remembrances keep you near.

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Your troubled nights are passed;
And in our aching hearts we know,
You have found sweet rest at last.

In our hearts you live forever,
Because we thought the world of You.

Sadly missed by,
Husband: Louis P. Moore
Daughters: Janis and Donna
Son: Louis, Wife Heather
Grandchildren: Louis and Lisa
Son: Thomas, wife Irene and Grandson, Thomas
Shelly, Tommy

letter

Dear Larz:

I am writing in answer to your summation of my article two weeks ago.

I personally believe you are wrong in stating that many builders build homes on low land, but build up with fill so homes don't have wet cellars.

Larz: You are all wet. I don't believe you can show me a dozen homes in the town built high and dry on wet land in the past 15 years.

To begin with, the reason the builder buys the wet land is because of the low cost. If he puts in \$600, \$800 fill to build above water, he might as well buy land that is high and dry anyhow.

Larz: The homes off Federal Street, near Woburn have a good share of our water. Lowell Street, behind Walpole Woodworkers, the same, and I could go on.

A man's home is his castle. Most castles have a moat around them. This moat is water - we have the same thing in Wilmington, a moat around 60 per cent of our homes. Let's control it.

Larz: The people behind the abutments on Federal Street received notice from the Board of Appeals this week. Many are quite concerned. Some good did come from my letter.

I'm beginning to have faith in your paper. The coverage lately has been superb, in many areas of news.

You had a very accurate report on Monday's PM tragedy. This is more than I can say for the larger papers in the Metropolitan area.

I see no coverage on South Wilmington Betterment Association's great work on Valentine's Day.

Thank you, Al Quandt

Your letter covers many areas, and would require a book to properly cover and answer. The Town Crier, unfortunately, does not have that kind of money.

In the past few years there have been no homes built in the flood plain of Wilmington. The town now has laws

against this. Before any home can be built in what might possibly be a flood area, there are many, many yards of red tape to unwind. The homes of which you have written, on Federal Street, were built before the flood plain law was adopted. The Town Crier has taken pictures of them on several occasions, some years apart.

Actually, they have nothing to do with the proposal to be heard Tuesday night. That proposal is to build homes in back, on land that is above the flood plain zone. It will undoubtedly be heard on its merits.

As to homes being built, in former years, in the flood plain. There are quite a few. That of Stuart Ring, on Middlesex Avenue in North Wilmington is a good example. He built up, so that the bottom of his cellar is above the flood plain level, and it is to be believed he never had any water in his cellar.

The Town Crier can show other homes in Wilmington, that have been so built, on Chestnut Street, on Williams Avenue, on Glen Road, and in other places.

One example to which the Town Crier can point will possibly be shown on the same page with this letter and reply. It is the home of the late Peter Nelson, on Glen Road (not the home to which reference is made above).

Jimmy Kelly, who was Town Clerk in 1911 had a good knowledge of the flood plains of Wilmington, and he figures in that story, that long ago. It is to be hoped the Town Crier will have room for the story.

As for the South Wilmington Betterment Association. There are two comments.

The Town Crier is a weekly paper. What cannot be put in, as news, in any one week quite often appears the next week, which is a whole seven days later. There was no opportunity to get the South Wilmington Betterment Association news in last week's paper.

Incidentally, why is the South Wilmington Betterment Association so named? People living in East Wilmington have always referred to themselves as dwellers of just that - East Wilmington.

SALT subject of Betterment meeting

The leader of a Scituate tax-cut group Thursday night called on Wilmington residents to form a tax reform committee of their own.

"You can do it if you get the numbers," said Lee Heller, the president of the Scituate Alliance for Lower Taxation. Heller was the guest speaker at a meeting of the South Wilmington Betterment Association at the Wilmington K of C Hall.

He said that one of the most effective ways to make cuts was for citizens to go through the budgets of the various departments and question each item. He said that his group had done so, and had cut several things that never would have been suggested by the town administrator.

Where does one cut? Well, for starters, they cut the police lieutenant.

Heller said that Scituate has a new police chief, and that he has been very helpful in making cuts. The first thing the new chief did was to cut \$50,000 out of the overtime budget. No longer are Scituate officers paid for sitting long hours in court.

And how do the Scituate police like their new chief? "They'd like to see him take a long walk off a short pier," Heller said.

Heller also recommended that anyone wanting to cut taxes should look at all departments, even the fire department. "Everyone says, 'Don't take a shot at the fire department. Your house will burn down,'" He said he

doesn't believe it. He said that a town of Wilmington's size should not have more than 37 men.

"It doesn't stop there," Heller said. "You have all sorts of special interests." He cited an instance in Scituate in which a group of businessmen sought to have \$500,000 appropriated for harbor drainage work. Heller said that after some checking, his group found that the businesses were paying less than two percent of the town's taxes.

Talking about school budgets, Heller said "I can't cut the quality of education." But he called the school department an empire. He said that the school committee takes its support from "Groups" who attend the school committee meetings and never challenge the committee on any items.

"Then you get your crazies in there, like me," he said. He called on Wilmington residents to ask for a line by line breakdown of the school budget.

The meeting was attended by nearly 40 people, including Selectmen Rocco DePasquale and Robert Cain, and Selectman Candidate Dan Wandell.

Also speaking briefly was Francis J. Faulkner, the field director for the Citizens for Limited Taxation. After summarizing the efforts of CLT, he urged those present to attend finance committee hearings and school budget hearings, and to plan for the town meeting.

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"Ye Olde Auction"

The Welcome Wagon Tewksbury Newcomers Club will hold its Annual version of the "Ye Olde Auction" at the Elks Lodge, 777 South Street, Tewksbury, on Saturday, March 3rd at 8:00 p.m.

As in years before, the club will be auctioning a treasure of homemade craft items, and gifts from merchants of the town of Tewksbury.

Proceeds from the auction will benefit the Tewksbury Fire Department, Tewksbury Memorial High School Scholarship Fund, Harold Patten Library, and the Tewksbury State Hospital.

The public is invited. Admission is One Dollar.

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O Holy St. Jude, Apostle and Martyr, great in virtue and rich in miracles, near kinsman of Jesus Christ, faithful intercessor of all who invoke your special patronage in time of need, to you I have recourse from the depth of my heart and humbly beg to whom God has given such great power to come to my assistance. Help me in my present and urgent petition. In return, I promise to make your name known, and cause you to be invoked.

Say three Our Fathers, three Hail Marys and Glorias. Publication must be promised. St. Jude pray for us and all who invoke your aid. Amen. This Novena has never been known to fail. I have had my request granted. Publication promised. M.R.G.

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Editorial

Miracles often have high price

There is to be shortly, in Tewksbury, a discussion relative to the values of fluoridation of water supplies. The discussion will be conducted by the Board of Health.

Fluoridation of water is no longer a matter for the public to worry about, under the statutes of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Today a Board of Health can order that water be fluoridated. Those residents who do not like it can move to another state. There is no alternative.

There are people who do not like this approach. They feel that the residents of a community should be guaranteed clean air and pure water, without any gimmicks of mass medication.

Fluoridation of water is easy. It is inexpensive. It is also mass medication. Proponents tell the world how pure everything is, and how good it is. Others have done just this, before, with other substances. In 1943, in Naples, Italy, the victorious troops of the U.S. Fifth Army entered that city bearing, not rifles, but flit guns. It was a scene that had never before occurred, in the entry of any army into a once hostile city.

Those flit guns had a material which had been known for some 20 years, and which killed bugs on contact. It was called DDT.

It was used to kill body lice. Body lice is the source of typhus, a disease which for centuries has ravaged conquered cities. The grinning Italian children who joyfully surrounded those soldiers had a flit gun load of DDT sprayed down their shirtfronts. They enjoyed it.

Admittedly the US Army was facing an emergency condition.

Pictures of that incident were printed in the US Army newspaper, Stars and Strips in Italy, and later were printed in the New York Times. It was quite a scene, a memorable one.

It was the world introduction to a substance which became a large part of a horror story - DDT, and other more recent inventions, all of which are designed to improve public health and/or public convenience. A few years after World War II back yard gardeners were happily using flit guns to dust their home-grown beans or other crops with DDT and its derivatives. It killed all the bugs. Bad ones, and good ones too.

It was perhaps 15 years later than the world began to realize that not all was well, with DDT and its derivatives. A lady named Rachel Carson told of it, in a book named Silent Spring.

Silent Spring was only the beginning. There have been many more in-

stantaneously easy ways to ease the burden of life, in this mortal world.

Mosquitoes get sprayed, by airplanes, and by trucks that roam the wayside in the evening.

There have been protests about the materials used, over the years. From time to time the public has been assured that the materials were harmless, only to learn a few years later that there now is a new material being used, and that this time, it is harmless.

In the past few years the materials being sprayed from airplanes or from trucks has been a substance known as Malathion. Malathion, the world has been assured, is harmless, kills mosquitoes, and very shortly disappears. Monday night in Wilmington Dr. Robert Mobbs spoke to the selectmen on a health problem. During his remarks he mentioned Malathion, the "safe" substance. It has been shown recently, Dr. Mobbs said, in Harvard, that Malathion has a close relationship to another substance which is now believed to be carcinogenic.

Dr. Mobbs is concerned about many substances which have been declared to be modern miracle makers, and which turn out, after a period of years, to be destructive of human health and life.

He did not immediately advocate the non-use of Malathion, but he is concerned. DDT and its allied derivatives were used for years, before the medical world acknowledged that there were faults.

Other substances have undergone the same results. Malathion, it now seems, after half a dozen years is perhaps to be the next subject.

Yet trucks will be out this summer, spraying Malathion, and airplanes will fly overhead, doing the same thing - the trucks in Wilmington, the airplanes over Tewksbury.

Before the Tewksbury Board of Health will allow that airplane spraying it will notify those people who keep bees of the time and date of the spraying.

Should people also be notified?

Will there be a day when someone finds out that there is something wrong with the forced use of fluorides in the water?

Must water, and must the air, be polluted with foreign substances, just because it is easier?

Cannot the people of the human race be guaranteed that the air they must breathe, to survive, and the water they must drink, also to survive, is pure and unadulterated?

Or does the world need, perhaps 50 years or so from now, another Silent Spring?

The drinking age: Statement of State Rep. Michael Barrett

The Massachusetts House considered the drinking question again this week, and State Rep. Michael J. Barrett, who represents the communities of North Reading, Reading and Wilmington, voted to raise the minimum age to 21. He made this statement:

"When the House took up this issue several weeks ago, I supported efforts to increase the drinking age to 19, but not to 21."

"My desire was to keep alcohol away from people in high school. I felt that a minimum age of 19 would further this goal and that anything more was an over-reaction."

"A number of considerations, all of them familiar by now, entered into my reasoning. Twenty-year-olds are eligible to risk their lives in the armed forces, become firemen and police officers, and represent us in public office. Over 45 per cent of our casualties in Vietnam were aged 20 and below. Statistics on drinking and

driving do not lend any clearcut support to the idea that teenagers are the state's worse problem drivers.

"I knew also that if young people in my communities were barred from drinking locally, they could still reach New Hampshire in 30 minutes on Route 1-93 and purchase liquor there. The effect of a more restrictive law might be to encourage them to spend more time driving to and from a source of alcohol."

"Nevertheless, after talking to many people in North Reading who are tremendously upset by the tragedies there, I have decided to support an increase all the way up to 21."

"In the past week a number of policemen and firemen with first-hand experience in law enforcement and traffic fatalities have discussed the subject with me. They believe that a legal drinking minimum of 21 is needed in order to achieve a real-life minimum of 19. High school

students can pass for 19, but not for 21. They are almost certain to have 19-year-old friends who will purchase alcohol for them, but are much less likely to know cooperative 21-year-olds."

"A second point has influenced my thinking. My doubts about the justification of a 21-year-old minimum continue; this is not a decision about which one can feel certain, but when people are compelled to face the kind of grief which has confronted North Reading in the past days, perhaps government is obligated to try new approaches even when they seem to contain drawbacks, and even when the results are likely to be only partially successful."

"Even so, I am convinced that adding more restrictions to the drinking laws will not educate young people to make wise choices for themselves, and yet this is where changes must occur."

"Such education must come

primarily from parents, and then from schools, churches and the community. Those of us who live in places such as North Reading, Reading and Wilmington have some uncomfortable matters to consider. Why are we so often ineffective in arming our young people with the standards of behavior which can save them? Why do so many teenagers have access to automobiles? Why are they permitted to pass late-night hours outside the home?

"North Reading's terrible experience may lead to some good, by giving rise to these questions, but if they are put back to rest by enactment of this legislation, if we are soothed into avoiding further reflection, a serious error will have been made. We should set the law at 21 because it offers some promise as a start in addressing our problem, but raising the drinking age will not erase the mistakes we make in raising our children."

Dr. Mobbs speaks out on pollutants

by Elaine DePasquale

Wilmington physician Dr. Robert Mobbs and several interested residents toured Bioassay Systems' Cambridge facility last week to get a first-hand look at the animal research laboratory which has caused so much controversy by its proposed move to Wilmington.

The tour was engineered by Select-

man Robert Cain who picked up on Bioassay Systems' open invitation to Wilmington residents as a way of throwing some light on the research company's operations and possibly enabling the town to have a better idea of what it could expect from the company.

The Wilmington Board of Appeals recently granted Bioassay Systems a

special permit to locate on Cornell Place, since animal testing facilities are not allowed under the town's zoning bylaws. Local residents, however, have voiced strenuous opposition to the move, and, along with the board of selectmen, are currently planning to sue the board of appeals for revocation of the permit.

Among the residents concerns is the fact that, in its operations, Bioassay Systems injects test animals with chemicals and radioactive elements. Should the animals or their wastes enter the neighboring environment, neighbors fear, they could cause air pollution, water pollution and a general nuisance.

According to Dr. Mobbs, however, the hazard posed by Bioassay Systems is small when compared to other pollutants currently to be found in Wilmington.

Chemicals used by Bioassay in research operations, he said, were used in small amounts.

"It seems like they wouldn't have as great a quantity of chemicals as others (industrial plants) existing in the community," said Dr. Mobbs.

Chloridane, a known carcinogen, he said, is used in far greater amounts in Wilmington by homeowners who want to protect their property against termites.

For Dr. Mobbs to take so mild a stand is a significant fact in itself. For 30 years, the white-haired physician has made a career of exposing carcinogenic substances which have been accepted into everyday use in our society.

He was the first to openly criticize the chemical insecticide DDT as carcinogenic. Several years later, his research was rewarded when the use of the toxic chemical was discontinued in the United States.

"For 30 years, I have always criticized chemicals," Dr. Mobbs told residents and town officials assembled at Monday evening's selectmen's meeting. "In looking at this situation, I am not sure I can go that way."

While touring the Cambridge facility, Dr. Mobbs said he had been told that dead animals and organic wastes would be incinerated weekly in Braintree by Recycling Industries, that air emitted from the facility would be filtered and that a security system

would be installed which would automatically lock doors in the event of a fire or forced entry.

The only foreseeable problem, said Dr. Mobbs, was in sewerage, where the washing down of walls could conceivably deposit chemicals into the septic system. Here, however, he said, a holding tank was planned to be installed to store "dangerous" sewage for off-site removal.

Areas for improving the company's proposed facility, he said, could include employing a security force around the clock, initiating active carbon filtration of all waste products at the plant and forming a citizens' committee to monitor the company's operations on a regular basis.

"Personally, I think you should survey the whole community," he added, "and make Wilmington a town that knows what's happening to its air and water."

Dr. Mobbs, who served for eight years on the state pesticide board, told the residents, "You people don't really know what you're doing with pesticides."

In addition, he said, there are several chemical industries which have polluted Wilmington air and water over the years. These companies, he said, can legally refuse to reveal manufacturing processes and ingredients regarding toxic substances.

"You can't have any intelligent control over chemicals if no one in the community knows what is being used. You are living in a dream-world," said Dr. Mobbs.

As for Bioassay, however, Dr. Mobbs said he thought it was somewhat ironic to oppose a firm whose function was to test chemicals to determine if they are harmful to humans.

Bioassay Systems is a subsidiary of Pedco Environmental; which performs environmental studies for the federal Environmental Protection Agency. They are engaged in priority pollutant analysis.

"If we had anticipated the opposition we have encountered, we wouldn't have begun to explore this site," Bioassay Pharmacologist Dr. Howard Schneider told the group during the tour of the facility. "But," he added, "we're going to persist."



Dr. Robert Mobbs

Rolling Meadow Garden Club

The Rolling Meadow Garden Club is planning an April program "Fashions '79," to be presented by "Ms. Money Penny." The show will be open to the public, and further notice is to be given.

The February meeting was held in the home of Elaine Alley. The program for the evening was on Fresh Flower Arranging, presented by DeCrosa Florists. The centerpiece for the evening was provided by Florence Keough. Refreshments were by Florence Keough, Chris Butt and Mary Bachellor.

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Wilmington students at Salem College who were named to the Dean's List in December, are:

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Mystic Valley
Mental Health

The Mystic Valley Mental Health and Retardation Area Board is to hold its regular meeting on March 7 in the Main Hearing Room of the Burlington Town Hall. The meeting is to begin at 7:30 p.m.

The area involved includes Arlington, Lexington, Winchester, Woburn and Burlington. The Wilmington representative is Mrs. Marcia Kent of Ledgewood Road.

obituaries

Ralph R. Patterson,
Air Force veteran

Ralph R. Patterson, of 28 Warren Road, Tewksbury died suddenly at his residence on Sunday morning.

Mr. Patterson, who was born in Okmulgee, Oklahoma, 60 years ago, was the son of the late Mary L. (Katie) and the late Ralph A. Patterson. He had lived in the Oklahoma area for many years, but had been a resident of Tewksbury for the past 29 years.

He was a veteran of World War II, having served in the U.S. Army Air Force. He had been employed for many years as a salesman for the Edison Shoe Company of Malden.

Mr. Patterson is survived by his wife, Mrs. Isabella F. (Jordan) Patterson; his seven children, Mrs. Elizabeth A. Sheridan of Somerville, N.H.; Mrs. Patricia A. Kidder of Exeter, N.H.; Mrs. Robert A. Manchester of Port Jarvis,

N.Y.; Ralph R. Jr., Gerard F., Robert F., Scott F. Patterson, all of Tewksbury; his three sisters, Mrs. Theresa Walker of Naples, Florida; Mrs. Mae Brooks of El Paso, Texas; Mrs. Thelma Criner of Okmulgee, Okla.; and two brothers, Frank Patterson of Garland, Texas and Robert Patterson of Dayton, Ohio. Five grandchildren also survive.

The funeral was held from the W.S. Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home, 374 Main Street, Wilmington on Tuesday morning at 9:00 followed by a funeral mass at St. Dorothy's Church at 10:00 celebrated by the Rev. Father J. Kevin McAndrews. Burial took place in the family lot, Wildwood Cemetery.

Serving as pall bearers were: Robert Rochefort, William Rochefort, Robert Johnston and Buster Dow.

Benita Jauregui
died in Woburn

Mrs. Benita Jauregui, a resident of 403 Woburn St., Wilmington died at Choate Memorial Hospital on February 22 following a brief illness.

Born in Arteaga, Spain, 80 years ago, Mrs. Jauregui had lived in Wilmington for 20 years. She was the widow of the late Juan Jauregui, and the mother of two sons, Ignacio Jauregui of Newton and Teodoro Jauregui of Madrid, Spain and a daughter

Mrs. Carmen-Maria DeGarcia of Wilmington with whom she made her home.

A funeral mass was celebrated at St. Thomas Church by the Rev. Fr. Francis Mackin on Monday, February 26 at 10 a.m. Burial was in Wildwood Cemetery, Wilmington.

Funeral arrangements were under the direction of the Nichols Funeral Home, 187 Middlesex Ave., Wilmington.

Frank E. Darling, Sr.
50 years in Wilmington

Frank E. Darling, Sr., a resident of Wilmington for 50 years, passed away at New England Memorial Hospital, Stoneham on Thursday, February 26.

Mr. Darling lived at 134 Eames Street and was a residential engineer with the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Born in Stoneham 73 years ago, he is survived by his wife Dorothy E. (Chase) Darling, two sons, Frank E., Jr. of New Hampshire and Robert L. of Chelmsford; a daughter Mrs. Barbara Balestrieri of Wilmington; 15 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. He was the brother of Bessie Dunnigan, Alice Erwin, Helen Gibbs and Mary Christie all of Woburn,

Rose Connolly of Winchester and Grace Hayward of York, Maine.

He was a late member of Friendship Lodge A.F. & A.M. and Aecia Chapter O.E.S. No. 80, Wilmington.

Funeral services were held from the Nichols Funeral Home, 187 Middlesex Ave., Wilmington on Saturday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. Reinhold Abele of the North Congregational Church and the Rev. Lewis Chase (a brother-in-law) of South Berwick, Maine officiating. Burial was in Wildwood Cemetery, Wilmington.

Pallbearers for Mr. Darling were grandsons William Darling, Frank Darling III, Jonathan, David, Daniel, Dean, and Donald Darling and Richard Balestrieri.

Concetta Cavarretta
died in Lowell

Mrs. Concetta M. Cavarretta, of 317 Ballardvale St., Wilmington died at Lowell General Hospital on Friday evening.

Mrs. Cavarretta, 79 years of age, was born in Italy and had lived in the Somerville area for many years prior to taking up residence in Wilmington nine years ago.

She is survived by her husband, Gaspar Cavarretta, her son, John Tollino of Utica, New York; her two sisters, Mrs. Loretta Morani of Cambridge; Mrs. Rose Dell Anno of Woburn; her two brothers,

Jack Albano of Cambridge and Louis Albano of Maine; her step-daughter, Mrs. Josephine Adams of Wilmington and her step-son, Joseph Cavarretta of Saugus. Several grandchildren also survive.

The funeral was held at the W.S. Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home, 374 Main Street, Wilmington on Monday morning at 10:30, followed by a funeral mass at St. Thomas Church at 11:30 celebrated by the Rev. Francis W. Mackin. Burial took place in the family lot, Wildwood Cemetery.

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in Wilmington

Friends, relatives and loved ones honored by contributions in their memory to the Regional Health Center in Wilmington this week include:

In memory of Al and Mary D'Amore, my best friends, from Kay MacLaughlin.

In memory of Mrs. Rebecca Kazanian, from Francis and Helen McKenna.

In memory of Mrs. Annie White, from Francis and Helen McKenna.

In memory of Guilio Motroni beloved husband of Emilia Motroni.

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Wilmington United
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The Rev. Richard L. Evans, pastor, 658-8127; Daniel T. Moore, asst. pastor, 658-2912; office, 658-4519.

Friday, Mar. 1: 7 p.m., Campfire Girls.

Sunday, Mar. 3: 8:45 a.m., Early Worship and Communion; 10 a.m., Family Worship and Communion, School of Christian Living; 11:15 a.m., Good News Singers rehearsal; 4:45 p.m., Confirmation Class; 6 p.m., Junior and Senior United Methodist Youth Fellowship.

Monday, Mar. 5: 6:30 p.m., Girl Scouts 343; 7 p.m., Boy

Scouts 59; 7:30 p.m., Commission on Worship, Commission on Education.

Tuesday, Mar. 6: 3:30 p.m., Girl Scouts 487; 7:30 p.m., Chancel Choir rehearsal, Commission on Missions; 8:30 p.m., Alcoholics Anonymous in Fellowship Hall.

Wednesday, Mar. 7: 7:30 p.m., Youth Basketball at Shawheen School, Lay Academy Seminar; 7:45 p.m., United Methodist Women.

Thursday, Mar. 8: 10 a.m., Bible study with child care; 3:35 p.m., Brownies 20; 7 p.m., Webelos 59.

Lenten season
at St. Mark's

The parishioners of St. Mark's Episcopal Church, Burlington begin their celebration of Lent on Ash Wednesday, February 28 at 7:30 p.m. with a service of Holy Communion. The service will also include imposition of Ashes and special music by the choir.

Holy Communion will be celebrated each Wednesday in Lent at 7 p.m. This will be a simple service with emphasis on a quiet, meditative experience.

During the Lenten season St. Mark's parishioners will have a unique opportunity to experience Christian fellowship in a slightly un-

usual manner by attending "House Church" which will be hosted each Tuesday and Friday evening by a different member of the parish. As the number of persons attending each "House Church" must be limited, arrangements may be made through the church office (272-1586).

Susan Curtis
on Dean's List

Susan Curtis, 24 Beacon St., Wilmington has been named to the dean's list, Emmanuel College, Boston, for the first semester, 1978-79.

She is a student in the division of continuing education and a psychology-theological studies major at Emmanuel.

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BOB CAIN
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- Member, Middlesex Selectmen's Association
- Member, Town Democratic Committee
- Charter Member, Wilmington-Tewksbury Elks
- Sons of Italy (associate member)
- Wilmington Lions Club
- Knights of Columbus
- Senior Citizens Outing Sponsor
- Educated Wilmington Public Schools, Dean Academy, Boston University
- Married, Father of three children
- Wilmington resident 43 years
- Successful, independent Wilmington businessman

SELECTMAN BOB CAIN
IS VERY TIGHT-FISTED
WITH YOUR TAX DOLLARS

- Town Government spending for the current fiscal year is \$322,000.00 less than was expended last year, equal to a tax rate cut of \$2.10 per \$1000 of assessed valuation.
- Working with the finance committee, Bob Cain is attempting to reduce the town government budget for the coming year by an additional \$338,000.
- Bob Cain has proposed that all vacancies in town jobs be reviewed for absolute necessity, before any new hiring is done. This will decrease the possible need to lay off town employees when and if the governor's proposed "freeze" on town spending becomes law.

A STATEMENT FROM BOB CAIN

The Real Issue Facing the Voters this Saturday

My opponent, Deputy Fire Chief Daniel Wandell, is a competent and conscientious employee of the Town of Wilmington.

But.....it is an unavoidable fact that the responsibilities of the Board of Selectmen include (1) approving collective bargaining agreements, (2) making budget recommendations as to the town employee positions, (3) establishing departmental rules and regulations, (4) approving weekly payrolls for town employees, and (5) responding to citizen problems with town departments.

A career town employee could, as a selectman, face serious problems of conflict of interest in dealing with these and other responsibilities.

Wilmington needs selectmen who can represent all of our residents and taxpayers.

We urge you to re-elect Selectman Bob Cain
at the annual town election this Saturday, March 3, 1979

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We apologize to Bob's many friends, we ran out of space.

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Bears invade library

The Wilmington Memorial Library was invaded by bears last Thursday. Hundreds of bears.

The bears hardly presented any danger to library patrons. In fact, the bears came to the library in the company of hundreds of children.

The occasion was a birthday party for Teddy Bear, who originated 75 years ago with Teddy Roosevelt.

The party filled the meeting room of

the library to overflowing. The floor was wall-to-wall children, most of whom each had a bear for company. Several varieties of bear were present, in as many sizes and colors as there were bears. In addition to the familiar brown Teddy Bear, there was Fozzie, Pooh and Panda, and a chocolate cake bear. There was also a British movie about a bear named Paddington.



Teddy Bears are for hugging, as practiced by Gillian Murphy of Andover Street.



Some bears were bigger than their people.

Wilmington selectman candidates answer LWV questions

Robert J. Cain

1. What do you see as the most pressing issues facing Wilmington in the next five years and how do you plan to deal with them?

A. Wilmington and its public officials will be confronted with several major issues during the next five years. Some of the more critical areas of concern are now and will continue to be taxes, water quality, the education of our children, a long-term solution to the solid waste problem, and the proper growth and expansion of the residential and commercial interests within the town.

These issues are very complex and there are no fast or easy answers that will lead to their quick resolution. Rather, as citizens and public officials, we must ensure that the programs to deal with these issues which we now have will be refined as our needs change with time. We must make sure the desired results are being achieved and the needs of the people of Wilmington are being met.

2. What would you do to promote sound land use planning and zoning in order to ensure balanced environmentally compatible development in Wilmington?

A. As Wilmington grows, it will be important to seek out commercial enterprise that will have a positive impact within the town, i.e., businesses whose activities do not pollute. Further, in encouraging business development compatible with the town's interests, the physical placement of businesses within the community should be such that the impact on residents is minimized.

It is critical that land use planning and zoning decisions do not result in developmental activities that place a drain or unrealistic burden on the town's resources.

3. How would you, as a selectman deal with our Governor's proposed cap on local spending? Please be specific.

A. The Finance Committee and the Board of Selectmen (on which I am currently serving) had already begun to work toward a cap for 1979 in advance of the Governor's proposal. It should be noted that in Wilmington the tax rate for General Government, excluding schools, was \$30.14 in fiscal 1978 and \$28.04 in fiscal 1979. This represents a drop of \$2.10, or a decrease in spending of \$322,000 over the previous year.

In dealing with the Governor's proposed cap, the same judgement process would be utilized relative to further spending cuts, i.e., where savings can be effected so as to impact the least on the people of Wilmington.

Finally, I will continue to work toward the elimination of state mandated programs which, in effect, tie the hands of local government relative to the effective and efficient management of local affairs.

Daniel Wandell

1. What do you see as the most pressing issues facing Wilmington in the next five years, and how would you deal with them?

A. We will have to bring tax relief to the citizens of this community, especially those on fixed incomes, by thoroughly reviewing the budget.

Because of serious developments within the last month I would have to put the adequacy of our water supply near the top of the list.

Maintaining the integrity of our zoning.

The Route 129 relocation. If the people of the community feel we should move forward with this project we should make sure it's compatible with our overall planning.

2. What would you do to promote sound land use planning and zoning in order to insure balanced environmentally compatible development in Wilmington?

A. A lot of time and money was spent developing the 1970 "Master Plan" for the Town of Wilmington.

"The Town Meeting of 1966 ordered this report in the hope that planning and forethought would help to guide the forces of inevitable change toward a well rounded and balanced Wilmington of the future."

This report should be our standard and we shouldn't ignore it by creating too many new gravel operations and extending our industrial areas ever closer to residential zones. The integrity of our zoning can be maintained through sound, thoughtful planning.

3. How would you as a selectman deal with our Governor's proposed cap on local spending? Please be specific.

A. Those who are familiar with the legislative process know that to try to determine at this time what the final enacted legislation pertaining to the tax cap or spending freeze is would be pure speculation. If a spending freeze is mandated, the first area I would look at would be the capital outlay budget, which would have to be whittled to the bone.

We would also have to have a thorough review of our administrative budget.

Martha Stone
on Dean's List

Martha Stone of 12 Sheridan Road, Wilmington has been named to the Dean's List at Babson College. She has achieved a cumulative

average of 9.30 on a 12 point scale in her studies. Martha is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stone.

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bits & pieces

Birthdays
Mary Horgan of Anthony Road, Tewksbury will blow out the candles for the ninth time on March 5. She will share greetings with Mark Linehan of Marcia Road, Wilmington who will be celebrating for the 15th time; Judi Maga of Oakdale Road, Wilmington who will become a teenager on March 5 and Ted Wicks of Gunderson Road, Wilmington.
Kelley Flynn of Foster Road, Tewksbury will be 11 years old on March 6 and will

share her special day with Mike Downs of Woburn Street, Wilmington.
Tom MacPhee of Burnap Street, Wilmington and Ed Roth of Wildwood Street will share their special day on March 7.
Steve Cunningham of Oakridge Circle, Wilmington will be 16 on March 8 and Fred D. Cain Jr., of Clark Street will be celebrating on the same day.
Gary Balestrieri of Railroad Avenue, Wilmington will make it all the way to 17 on March 9.

Susan Hanna of Park Street and Sheila Ryan of Kenwood Avenue will be celebrating on the same day.
According to a usually reliable source, Nancy Farley of Van Buren Road, Tewksbury will be serenaded by friends and relatives for the 19th time on March 10 and will share her special day with Cathy Shields of Starr Avenue who will be 16 on March 10 and Mike Duggan of Clifton Street, Wilmington.
Fern Boudreau of Roosevelt Road, Wilmington will be a

year wiser on March 11, and Karen Taylor of Woburn Street will be 15 on March 11.
Shenna McGovern of East Street, Tewksbury will join the ranks of the teenagers on March 11.
Terry Constantino of Heather Drive, Wilmington will face a birthday cake glowing with eight candles on March 12.
David Farr of Cedarcrest Road, Wilmington will be celebrating for the 11th time on March 13.
Also celebrating on March 13 will be Jean Marie Cole of Marion Street, Tewksbury and T.J. Cooper of Starr Avenue, Tewksbury.

Instrumentation Lab
New products to test the operation of life-support instruments have been developed by Instrumentation Laboratory Inc., of Joseph Road, Wilmington. The firm is now offering a cardiac quality control kit which allows critical care nurses and technicians to check whether pressure transducers, ECG monitors and defibrillators are functioning properly.
Instrumentation Laboratory, Inc. is a leading manufacturer of biochemical, analytical and scientific instruments used in health care, industry and environmental control.

From the fire log
Members of Wilmington's Fire Department answered 46 calls for assistance last week including:
Eleven brush fires; 17 ambulance runs; four false alarms; four building fires; one car fire; seven service calls and one dumpster fire.

Immunization clinic
The regular monthly immunization clinic for children three months old to school age will be held on Tuesday, March 6 from 9 to 10 a.m. at the Town Hall Annex, Middlesex Avenue, Wilmington. The clinic is free.

Mothers of Twins
The Greater Lowell Mothers of Twins Club will hold its next meeting at the Russell Hill Tennis Club, Mill Road, Chelmsford on Monday, March 12 at 8 p.m. No formal program is planned after the business meeting. Instead the club will hold a workshop in preparation for its 20th anniversary party coming up in the fall. Members are asked to call JoAnne Tucker prior to the meeting with any ideas or suggestions.

The next Cope meeting will be held at the home of Ann Petro Roy on Monday, March 26 at 8 p.m.
All mothers of twins and multiple births are welcome to attend. Call 458-7008 for information.

Jazz Band
Wilmington High School's Music Department will present its annual Jazz Band Concert on March 15 at 8 p.m. in the Barrows Auditorium of the high school.

Cynthia White, treasurer
Cynthia White of Marcus Road has accepted the duties of treasurer and publicity chairman for the Wilmington Beautification Committee.
According to Mrs. White, the town common plan submitted by the committee has been accepted by the board of selectmen as the official map of the common.

Degrees from UColorado
Two Wilmington students, Edward Adams of Pineridge Road and Harvey Ames, Jr. of Corey Avenue have been awarded degrees by the University of Colorado.
Adams was awarded his Bachelor of Arts degree while Ames received his Master of Business Administration degree.

No over-all University commencement program was conducted; winter graduates will be eligible to participate in spring commencement if they desire.

Back home
Mrs. Evelyn Kaminski of Fairmeadow Road, Wilmington has returned following 34 days of hospitalization during which she underwent major surgery. Evelyn is looking forward to hearing from her many friends.

Visited Florida
Rita Twombly of Marjorie Road, Wilmington has returned home following a Florida vacation during which she visited Doris Little, formerly of Hobson Avenue, Wilmington. Mrs. Little is recuperating following open heart and other serious surgery.

Dean's List
Kathleen Hanlon, of 9 Sprucewood Rd., Wilmington, a senior at Bay State Junior College, Boston, has been named to the Dean's List for the second and third semesters. Kathy, a 1977 graduate of Wilmington High School is currently enrolled in the executive secretarial program.

New officers
Dave Gagnon of American Traveller and Gagnon Insurance Co., has been elected president of the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.
Elected to serve with Mr. Gagnon were Ed Nash, vice president and Bennett Bedell, treasurer.
Newly elected member of the Board of Directors is Joyce Brisbois.

A visit with Pat
Bill and Terry Hanlon, of Sprucewood Road, Wilmington, were recently guests on a talk show hosted by Pat Whitley of Station W.I.T.S. in Boston, for the recruitment of foster parents requested by the Catholic Charitable Bureau of Boston.
Anyone interested in becoming a foster parent is urged to call Terry at 658-4302.

Millie Irish
Millie Irish of Tewksbury is currently recuperating at St. John's Hospital following surgery.
She is well known for her work among Golden Agers and at the senior drop-in center. She would be happy to hear from her many friends in the area.

Genealogists
The Middlesex North Chapter of the Massachusetts Society of Genealogists will hold its next monthly meeting at the Lowell Public Library on Thursday, March 8 at 7:30 p.m.
The program for the evening will be a round-table discussion of genealogical problems and how to solve them. Membership is open to all.

Spring at Middlesex Community College

When the calendar shows March, everyone knows spring is underway - and that includes the spring semester at Middlesex Community College. There is still time to sign up for many of the courses and workshops which are not scheduled to begin until March or April. Check the current MCC catalog from the Division of Continuing Education-Division of Community Services, or drop by the DCE Building on MCC's Marist Campus and sign up for the course or workshop of your choice. Registration hours are between 11 a.m. and 4 p.m.

A popular course for the last few years has been "Assertiveness Training." Sign up for a beginning six-week workshop that starts Wednesday, March 7 and runs from 7 to 9:30 p.m.

It will be offered later that month on Thursday nights, beginning March 19. For the person who is ready to move into "Advanced Assertiveness Training," there will be a six-week course beginning Tuesday, March 5.

Do you sometimes feel that you don't express yourself orally in the best manner possible? Do you want to improve your listening skills, your impromptu and formal speaking skills and even your telephone techniques? If so, the four-week workshop called "Improving your Oral Communication Skills" might meet your needs. Slated for Wednesday nights from 7 to 9:30, the class will meet at Arlington High School beginning March 7.
For persons who are dealing

Boy Scout Awards Dinner, March 10

The Greater Lowell Council annual Awards Dinner is to be held on March 10 at the Spaulding House in Lowell. The menu will feature roast beef.

Presentation of the General Hoyt Vandenberg trophy will be made to the Outstanding Eagle Scout of the Lowell area, for the year. The general and his brother were both Eagle Scouts in the Lowell Council, about 50 years ago.

The Council's highest award, the Silver Beaver, is to be presented to two adults, for truly exceptional service to Scouting.

The second highest award is to go to six outstanding leaders in the three areas of Scouting. This is the District Award of Merit. Training awards will include the Wood Badge, the Scoutmaster, Cub Master and Explorer Advisor Keys, "Scouters" Keys for three branches, and several special awards. Troop, Pack and Post awards are to be presented to the Unit Leaders.

Adults in Scouting and their spouses are being urged to attend. Reservations must be made in advance. They can be made by calling the Scouting office, 458-6836, or by going to the office at 60 Carlisle Street in East Chelmsford.

Ed Tomasi, long active in Lowell Scouting, is the Scout Executive of the Greater Lowell Council.

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Thursday, March 1: 7:30 p.m., Brigade Boys (Junior and Senior High).
Friday, March 2: 8:30 p.m., Pal Gal party, Brigade Boys (ages eight through 11), adult ski retreat weekend.
Sunday, March 4: 9:30 a.m., Bible classes for all ages; 11 a.m. Morning worship service; 4 p.m., Diaconate meeting, Baptist Youth Fellowship; 6 p.m., Singing with the Gedeys.

The sergeant, who was trained in military management and supervision, is a personnel technician at Edwards AFB, Calif. He is a 1967 high school graduate.

Walter Bahia at George AFB

Staff Sergeant Walter R. Bahia, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bahia of 48 Marcia Rd., Wilmington has graduated from the Tactical Air Command Noncommissioned Officer Leadership School at George AFB, Calif.

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Jennifer DeWilde on Dean's List

Jennifer Sue DeWilde, of 322 Woburn Street, Wilmington, a student at the University of Maine at Orono, has been named to the Dean's List, for excellence in studies.

Ash Wednesday at Tewksbury Methodist Church

The Tewksbury United Methodist Church will be open for Silent Communion on Ash Wednesday evening, February 28, from 6-8 p.m.

The Rev. Warren Odum will officiate, and all are welcome to participate in the special service.

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Tewksbury school lunch menu

Note: As of February 26, 1979, Tewksbury Schools will charge \$.10 for reduced priced meals in compliance with latest Federal regulations.
Monday: American Chop Suey, Buttered Green Beans, Hot Cross Buns, Choice of Fruit and Milk.
Tuesday: Chicken

Vegetable and Noodle Soup, Hot Beef and Cheese Roll, Spiced Raisin Cake and Milk.
Wednesday: Oven Fried Chicken, Whipped Potato, Buttered Peas, Apple and Butter, Jello with Whipped Topping and Milk.
Thursday: Barbecued Beef Chunks, Fluffy Rice, Corn

Niblets, Roll and Butter, Pineapple Cottage Pudding and Milk.
Friday: Tuna Salad Roll, Oven Fried Potato Rounds, Catsup, Carrot and Celery Sticks, Ice Cream and Milk.

Wilmington school cafeteria menu

Notice: Effective February 12, 1979 the price of reduced lunches in the Wilmington School lunch program will be 10¢. Parents may request an application for free or reduced lunches anytime during the school year.

Monday: Shake n Bake Turkey, Fluffy Rice or Sweet Potatoes, Buttered Green Beans, Cranberry Sauce, Bread, Butter, Pudding with Topping and Milk.
Tuesday: Chilled Juice, Cheeseburger on a Roll, French Fries, Corn, Brownies with Nuts and Milk.

Wednesday: Spaghetti with Meat Sauce, Cheese Wedges, Buttered Vegetables, French Bread, Butter, Peach Upside Down Cake and Milk.
Thursday: Oven Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Peas, Cranberry Sauce, Bread, Butter, Milk, Midnight Chocolate Cake with Frosting.

Friday: Soft Tuna Salad Roll, Buttered Carrots, Potato Sticks, Ice Cream and Milk.

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TOWN OF WILMINGTON



INVITATION TO BID

Sewage and

Chemical Treatment of

Gravel-packed Well

Sealed bids for redevelopment, siting and chemical treatment of the Chestnut Street gravel-packed well will be received at the office of the Town Manager, Town Hall, Wilmington, Mass. 01897, until 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, March 8, 1979, where and when they will be publicly opened and read. Detailed information may be obtained at the office of the Town Manager.

The Town reserves the right to reject any bid or all bids or any part thereof deemed not to be in the best interest of the Town of Wilmington.

Sterling C. Morris
Town Manager

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

SHERIFF'S SALE

Middlesex, ss. Lowell, May 12, 1978

Taken on execution and to be sold by public auction on the 30th day of March, 1979 on Friday at 9:30 o'clock A.M. at the SHERIFF'S OFFICE, 199 MARKET STREET, LOWELL, County of Middlesex, all the right, title and interest that said Eugene P. Smith of 18 Regis Road in the Town of Tewksbury County of Middlesex, had not exempt by law from levy on execution or from attachment on the 11th day of April 1978, being the time when the same was seized on execution, in and to the following described real estate to wit: Book 1723 Page 462.

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in TEWKSBURY, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, being shown as Lot No. 13 on the plan of land entitled "Regis Estates" dated November 10, 1964.

Owner: Sullivan Homes, Inc., Main Street, Tewksbury, Mass. Scale: 1" equals 100', dated November 10, 1964.

Owner: Dana F. Perkins & Sons, Inc., 43 Lakewood Avenue, Lowell, Mass. C.E. Fosse, Reg. Land Surveyor, and being bounded and described as follows:

NORTHEASTERLY: by Regis Road, as shown on said plan, by two lines Twenty-one and Twenty-two (21.79) feet and One Hundred Twenty-eight and 21.100 (128.21) feet, together measuring One Hundred Fifty and no/100 (150.00) feet.

SOUTHEASTERLY: by Lot No. 12, as shown on said plan, Two Hundred Ninety-one and no/100 (291.00) feet.

SOUTHWESTERLY: by land of Mildred E. Smith, as shown on said plan, One Hundred Fifty-six and 65/100 (156.65) feet.

NORTHWESTERLY: by land of owners unknown, as shown on said plan, Two Hundred Ninety-five and 77/100 (295.77) feet.

The above mentioned plan is recorded at Middlesex North District Deeds in Book 101, Plan 57.

Containing 44.575 square feet of land according to said plan. Meaning and intending to convey and hereby conveying said Lot No. 13 as shown on plan heretofore mentioned however otherwise said premises may be bounded, measured or described.

Terms of Sale - Cash

Robert S. Masse

DEPUTY SHERIFF

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For a more detailed description of said lots, see said Plan.

For Vote see said Deeds Book 86, Page 89, with Certificate of Title No. 16645, as Document No. 32130 with Land Registration Office.

Included herewith is the fee in and to Houghton Road and Blanchard Road as shown on said plan.

For title see deed of Manuel R. Amato recorded with said Deeds Book 1667, Page 168, dated July 6, 1971.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

SHERIFF'S SALE

Middlesex, ss. Lowell, November 9, 1978

Taken on execution and to be sold by public auction on the 23rd day of March, 1979 on Friday at 10:15 o'clock A.M. at the SHERIFF'S OFFICE, 199 MARKET STREET, LOWELL, County of Middlesex, all the right, title and interest that said Paul E. Dettelle and Co., Inc. of 153 Pearl Street in the City of Newton, County of Middlesex, had not exempt by law from levy on execution or from attachment on the 9th day of November 1978, being the time when the same was seized on execution, in and to the following described real estate to wit: Book 1858 Page 427.

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in said Tewksbury known and described as Lots Nos. 221, 222, 224, 225, & 226 on a plan of the Silver Lake Park Land Company in Tewksbury, said plan being in the North District of Middlesex County Registry of Deeds, Book 25, Page 4, bounded and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake on the Southwest corner of Pearl Street and running Northwesterly along said street, one hundred twenty feet to a stake, thence Northwesterly by Lot No. 227, eighty feet to a stake, thence Southeast by Lot Nos. 235, 236, 237, 239 & 240, one hundred twenty feet to a stake, thence Southwesterly by Lot No. 220 eighty feet to a stake and to the point of beginning.

Containing in all as per said plan, 9,600 square feet of land.

Terms of Sale - Cash

Robert S. Masse

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TOWN OF WILMINGTON

BOARD OF APPEALS
Case 12-79
A Public Hearing will be held at the Town Hall Annex, 150 Middlesex Avenue on March 13, 1979, at 7:00 p.m., on the application of Richard Stuart, 15 Presidential Drive, to acquire a special permit in accordance with Section VI-D to alter an existing dwelling in a manner less detrimental or injurious to persons and/or to adjacent property for property located at 111R Grove Avenue. (Assessors' Map 34 lot 90).</

Fielding's photo in Polaroid exhibit

A Polaroid SX-70 instant photograph by Herbert Fielding of Butters Row, Wilmington is part of a major collection of Polaroid instant photography which opened recently at the Clarence Kennedy Gallery in Cambridge.

Reflections, a unique collection of 139 images by 94 employees of the Cambridge-based manufacturing firm, will be open to the public until March 30.

Fielding's photograph is an architectural abstract of the Brandywine River Museum in Chadd's Ford, Pennsylvania.

The circular entrance curves from the bottom to the side of the photograph forming a half-moon shape. The black and white colors of the museum's exterior along with the geometric shapes, creates a futuristic image.

Fielding, a scientist at Polaroid for 15 years, works on the development of Polavision. This is the second time that his work has been exhibited in the annual employee show.

Few of the 94 employees represented in the exhibit are professional photographers. Most have had no formal photographic training and include secretaries, administrators, engineers, vice presidents, supervisors, scientists and others whose professions have nothing to do with the operation of a camera.

The exhibited employees work at the company's Massachusetts facilities in Cambridge, Norwood, Waltham, Needham and New Bedford, as well as Polaroid Distribution Centers in California, Illinois, Georgia and Ohio. Several exhibitors work at Polaroid subsidiaries overseas.

Five experts in the photographic field selected the photographs from the 3500 submitted, basing their selections on picture-quality, purposefulness, intent, composition and use of the Polaroid Land film medium.

Panel members included Sean Callahan, co-founder and editor of American Photography; Barbara Bordnick, New York City fashion photographer; Owen Edwards, former photographic critic for the Village Voice; and Frank DiPerna, chairman of the

department of photography at the Corcoran School of Art, Washington, D.C.

While most of the 139 framed exhibition pictures in the collection were made with Polaroid's SX-70 system, a variety of Polaroid formats is represented, as illustrated by the fine color and black-and-white images in the show.

The Kennedy Gallery,

located on Main Street in Cambridge, will extend its viewing hours for the duration of the exhibit. Hours will be from 10:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

After Reflections leaves the Kennedy Gallery, it will begin a tour of major Polaroid Massachusetts locations and several of the company's out-of-state distribution centers.



Vandalism erupts

An explosion of vandalism erupted in Wilmington last weekend, a more reliable sign

than the groundhog that spring is on the way.

Between Friday and Sunday, Wilmington police investigated no fewer than six incidents of vandalism and malicious damage, with Sunday extracting the heaviest toll.

The barrage began Friday at 1:30 a.m. when Officer Al Venuti discovered eight broken windows at the Glen Road School. The school has been closed since February 11, when a fire believed to have been set by vandals caused extensive damage there.

At 1 a.m. Saturday, police were summoned to the Temple Shalom on Salem Street to investigate damage to that property. Caretaker Bruce Gordon showed police two broken crawlspace windows and a front door decorated with obscene graffiti. Water would not flow through the temple's faucets, the caretaker said, leading him to believe some of the water pipes had been ripped out.

Also on Saturday, police investigated the theft of four chain saws from the cemetery department garage. Cemetery Superintendent Francis Downs told police that the garage had been secured at 3 p.m. Friday. At 9 a.m. Saturday, however, a

broken window was discovered in the garage door.

On Sunday, Sergeant Donald Mercier met with residents of Brand Avenue to discuss the rising number of weekend vandalism complaints in that neighborhood; police discovered a broken window at the dental office of Dr. Ernest Wallant; and four Wilmington youths were arrested following a fracas on Manning Street.

Arrested and charged with assault on a police officer and being idle and disorderly were Robert Iverson, 18; Edward Welch, 20; and Lawrence Beatrice, 18. Also charged with being idle and disorderly was Paul Gilson, 18.

While cruising the area in response to a report of a disturbance on nearby Lake Street, Officer Chris Neville said his cruiser was pelted with a barrage of rocks and bottles. Spotting a group of youths with beer bottles on the roofs of their cars, Officer Neville said he stopped and attempted to place one of them under protective custody. A scuffle ensued and Neville called for help from Officer Venuti, also cruising in the area.

In the fracas, Officer Venuti reported, he sustained an injury to his hand.

Four arrested, liquor confiscated

Four Wilmington youths suspected of stealing several cases of beer from a North Wilmington store were arrested last Friday by Salem, New Hampshire police.

Wilmington police have confiscated seven cases of beer taken from a truck driven by James Bruce, 17, of Salem Street. The beer is believed to be that taken from Ella's Country Store on Middlesex Avenue during a break-in which occurred there last Thursday.

Arrested along with Bruce, charged by Salem police with being a minor transporting liquor, were Joseph Costello, 17, of Cottage Street, William Murphy, 17, of Crescent Drive, and a 16-year-old juvenile.

Wilmington Police Sgt. James Palmer discovered the break at Ella's shortly after 1:30 a.m. Thursday. On the following night he received a call from the Salem, N.H., police at approximately 3:30 a.m., informing him that the four youths had been placed under arrest there.

He and Officer James Cuoco

went immediately to Salem, he said, and talked with Bruce and Costello who admitted involvement in the North Wilmington break-in. Both were immediately arrested in connection with the alleged crime.

At approximately 6:30 a.m. Friday Murphy and the 16-year-old juvenile were arrested at their homes by Wilmington police.

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births

GONSALVES: Peter Robert, third child, third son to Mr. and Mrs. Gary J. Gonsalves of Woodbury Road, Billerica on February 15 at Winchester Hospital.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moore of Westdale Avenue, Wilmington and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest R. Gonsalves of Brentwood Avenue, Woburn.

Great-grandparents are Joseph Gonsalves of Pleasant Street, Woburn and Mrs. Eileen Lucas of 22 Spring Court Ext.

HANCOCK: Deborah Alison, third child to Mr. and Mrs. Francis Hancock of 8 Dunton Rd., Wilmington on January 30 at New England Memorial Hospital.

Grandparents are Tex Hancock and Mrs. Tina Hancock of Wilmington and Florida. Great-grandmother is Mrs. Mary Gosselin of 9 Gould Ave., Somerville.

HART: Julie Beth, second child, first daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth R. Hart of 30 Glen Rd., Wilmington.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Angus W. Suga formerly of Wilmington, now of St. Paul, North Carolina and Mr. and Mrs. William Hart of Woburn.

MARR: Peter Alexander, first child to Mr. and Mrs. Owen Marr of Atkinson, N.H. on January 21 at Lawrence General Hospital.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Zaine of Linda Road, Wilmington and Mr. and Mrs. Al Marr of Pineridge Road.

MOSELEY: Deirdre, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moseley, III of 453 Ipswich Road, Boxford on February 15 at Hunt Memorial Hospital, Danvers.

Mrs. Moseley is the former Loretta Bertrand of Wilmington. Grandparents are Robert and Reala Moseley of North Andover and Richard and Jean Bertrand of New Hampshire.

SCOTT: Heather Ann, second child to Mr. and Mrs. John Scott of 24 Cunningham St., Wilmington on February 3 at New England Memorial Hospital.

Grandparents are Charles J. Baldwin of 11 Jones Ave., Wilmington and Peter Scott of 38 Waybasset St., North Weymouth.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Baldwin of 7 Jones Ave., Wilmington.

SOUTHMAYD: Lisa Marie, second child, second daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Southmayd of 1 Jordan St., Wilmington on February 12 at Winchester Hospital.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Elbeau of South Street, Wilmington and Mrs. Lillian Southmayd of High Street.

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Wilmington School Committee candidates answer LWV questions

Linda McMenimen

1. What are the three things you would like to accomplish if you are elected to the School Committee?

A. More time for reading instruction at the elementary level; evaluation of the junior high curriculum; more effective utilization of staff and facilities.

2. If the Committee had to make budget cuts during the next three years, where would you feel it most appropriate to make them? Please be as specific as you can.

3. How do you feel the school system should adapt to the declining enrollments?

A. (Combined answer for 2 & 3) As a present member of the Wilmington School Committee, I have been involved in formulating our policy concerning the school building utilization in light of the rapid decline in enrollment in the Wilmington schools.

This policy also includes reduction in staff, both administrative and instructional; staff reduction means salary reduction.

As far as reduction of the non-salary accounts in the budget (these accounts make up 20 per cent of the school budget), it is very difficult to be specific. Areas such as utilities, transportation, supplies, etc., are all subject to inflationary costs and are difficult to predict.

As a member of the school committee, I know that 80 per cent of the budget is salaries and that's where budget cuts have to be made.

As a member of the school committee, I must also remember that

staff cuts reduce services to students. Therefore, careful consideration must be given to all budget reductions to insure that they do not negatively effect the quality of education in the Wilmington schools.

James A. Demos

1. What are the three things you would like to accomplish if you are elected to the School Committee?

A. To assure that all children grades one through three receive a good structured program in the basic skills in the area of reading, math and language.

To assure that all youngsters ages three through 21 years with special needs receive the maximum educationally and vocationally in order to become as much as possible self supporting and contributing members of our community.

To insist on developing a system-wide progress handling discipline. Not through suspension, but through alternative educational programs. This will allow the majority of our students who want to learn, to learn without constant interruptions, and helping those with adjustment problems, with hopes that they will also receive personal help and education to aid them in a productive life ahead.

2. If the Committee had to make budget cuts during the next three years, where would you feel it most appropriate to make them? Please be as specific as you can.

A. It would be extremely difficult at this time for me to make any guess, especially, when this current year, we

(School Committee) have made reductions to the most extreme limits. This year there was a very positive effort made in cuts without endangering children's future educationally.

3. How do you feel the School System should adapt to the declining enrollments?

A. The process to be used should be made with extreme care in how it will effect children. It should be well researched and every effort made to allow students to finish their education in their current particular setting, especially nearest to their homes. We should not try to separate brothers and sisters from attending the same schools wherever possible. In summary, it should be carefully researched and the neighborhood citizens to be effected be consulted and involved in the decision making.

Arthur Ryder

1. What are the three things you would like most to accomplish if you are elected to the School Committee?

A. A review of the 52 mandated programs from the state government to see if there is some way that any of these could be eliminated through revisions in the laws.

To see if the teachers would form a committee to provide more input as to ways of holding the budget line.

I would like a review made of the High School students' programs to see if we are providing them with enough of a challenge to make them work up to their capacity.

2. If the Committee had to make budget cuts during the next three

years, where would you feel it most appropriate to make them? Please be as specific as you can.

A. I believe there is too much duplicate ordering. A "use" study should be made of all school equipment, and where there is low usage, that equipment should be moved so as to obtain more advantageous use of it, rather than buying more equipment.

There should also be a study made to decide if there are certain parts of administration where we may be "top heavy."

2. How do you feel the school system should adapt to the declining enrollments?

A. A declining enrollment should help to improve the educational opportunities of the students by providing a smaller ratio of students to teachers, thereby giving a teacher more time to spend with each student. Of course, as the enrollment declines, there comes a point where teachers and administrators have to be reduced either by attrition or the reduction of staff through layoffs.

Philip A. Fenton

1. What are the three things you would like most to accomplish if you are elected to the School Committee?

A. The retention of those policies which are effective in maintaining of an extremely high quality educational system for the students of Wilmington. Naturally this would mean the improvement and deletion of those policies which appear to be detrimental to the educational system. A prime example of this might be the review of the present

physical education requirement at the high school level.

Secondly, the burden of taxation which faces each and every one of us must be curbed. State mandated laws cost you, the public a great deal of money each year. Something must be done by the state legislature in order to help the school committee lower taxation. I shall continue to cut spending in all areas of the budget, but one must keep in mind that there is only so much that can be cut from the budget before our youngsters feel the brunt of our chopping at the budget. The budget must be kept down, yet the high standards of our educational system must not be allowed to plummet.

Thirdly, the incorporation of those courses which will benefit the student in everyday living must be entered into our curriculum. One must always be aware of the fact that a great many graduates go directly into the working force and depend upon their past formal education to carry them through everyday life situations.

2. If the committee had to make budget cuts during the next three years, where would you feel it most appropriate to make them? Please be as specific as you can.

A. The School Committee is going to be forced to make budget cuts during the next three years. These cuts will have to come in all areas. Administration, staff (teachers) and supplies will not be exempt from these cuts. The declining enrollment will necessitate cuts in all of these areas. It is my sincere hope that

students will not be effected by these cuts through the better utilization of the administration staff and supplies remaining after these budgetary decisions. I am extremely pleased with the budget for the 79-80 school year. I do not believe that it can be reduced at this time without directly effecting our student population. This budget has been scrutinized through hours of painstaking work. I am satisfied and will vote for the budget as it now stands, but if it can be proven that further cuts could be made from the present budget I for one would be willing to cut the budget even more drastically.

3. How do you feel the school system should adapt to the declining enrollments?

A. The Wilmington school system must adapt to the declining enrollments through a series of events. First, as the number of students decreases so must the administration and staff. Once this has been accomplished redistricting and the closing of schools must be met with serious consideration. Inflation must be also considered as a factor when ordering supplies for the students. Inflation costs spiral while our population decreases and it appears to me that the budget will also increase even with those cost-effective measures. Therefore the declining enrollment will not be an end-all cure for our tax problem, but without the decline in enrollment I shudder to think what the school system might cost the taxpayer 10-15 years from now.

The consummate strategy of The 64th Regiment of Foot

One of the Yankee Regiments had a ball, last week, in a town of the Colony of Massachusetts Bay. It is to be believed that a company of the Second Middlesex Regiment of Foot, the Wilmington Company of Minutemen, was the host company.

In fact, it was billed as the First Annual Colonial Ball of the Wilmington Company of Minutemen.

Loyal supporters of His Majesty, George III, will be comforted to know that several representatives of the

British regiments were present, to preserve order. There were Highlanders, and there were members of the Regiments of Foot. They were even introduced to the Commanding Officer, a Brigadier General named Calvin E. Chapman, from Bedford, in the Colony of Massachusetts Bay.

It is to be reported that there were many Yankee regiments who had members at that ball. Some of the people present, for instance, came from York, in the Province of Maine,

members of the York Militia, which is another of the upstart Yankee organizations. That Sons of Italy hall was well filled.

Commanding the host company, the Wilmington Minutemen of the Second Middlesex Regiment of Foot was Capt. William MacKinnon. He and his lady were indeed gracious, if it is possible to so describe Yankees.

It can give pleasure, perhaps, to His Majesty's loyal subjects, to learn that the representatives of the 64th Regiment of Foot occupied the most

strategic position, in that ball room. Some will remember that the 64th Regiment was engaged against the army of that Rebel, George Washington, at the Battle of White Plains, in the Province of New York.

At the Sons of Italy Hall, the 64th Regiment did its part, as can be expected.

After duly surveying the terrain, with an eye to having the best military position, it chose the table which was closest to the kitchen, and halfway between the bar and the smorgasbord.



What a uniform!

It would seem that Brig. Gen. Calvin Chapman of the Middlesex Council of Minutemen designed his uniform for the purpose of camouflaging himself as a flower bed. He is shown at the Wilmington Minutemen Ball, last weekend.

From left: Capt. and Mrs. MacKinnon of the Wilmington Minutemen, Evelyn Sheerin, the General and Mrs. Chapman, Private Ray Davenport of Waltham and Private Warren Sheerin of Wilmington.



Ingenious Yankees

Private Phil Coolberth of the Wilmington Minutemen displays the latest in Yankee equipment. Every Wilmington Minuteman carries a pewter mug, in case he should meet another Yankee who has a jug of cider. The mug is to be seen in Coolberth's right hand.

But in his left hand is a new type of glass, now being issued to the Wilmington troops. The glass is there in case the troops meet up with a Highland Regiment.

senior topics

Hot lunch program resumes

After a break for mid-winter school vacation, the senior hot lunch program has resumed at the North Intermediate School. Shut-ins may have meals delivered to their homes, an indispensable convenience for those who are either disabled or recuperating after a hospital stay.

The hot lunch program is coordinated at the Wilmington Drop-in Center. In order to be served a meal, it is essential that a reservation be made by calling the Drop-in Center (657-7595) before noon on the day before the luncheon. The Drop-in Center then telephones the total number of reservations for the next day in to the North Intermediate School.

Seniors who call reservations in late and still arrive at the site to be served put a great deal of unnecessary pressure on the North Intermediate School personnel.

Reservations for an entire week may be made by calling before noon on the previous Friday.

Fuel assistance available. Application forms for the 1979 Emergency Energy Assistance Program are now at the Drop-in Center.

This year the income level which determines eligibility has been lowered. Those who heat with electricity or gas will have to receive shut-off notices before they will become eligible. Senior citizens, however, have been exempt from the shut-offs because of age, even though payments are in arrears. For information on how to handle this situation, call the Drop-in Center.

Any senior citizen who has been unable to pay their fuel bill should bring photostatic copies of Social Security checks S.S.I. checks and oil bills showing arrears to the Drop-in Center, where an application will be filed for you.

Those who were forced to pay their fuel bills because their supplier would not be able to deliver without payment may qualify for a C.O.D. voucher.

Sign up for Quincy Market. The Drop-in Center is still taking reservations for the March 14 trip to Quincy Market. Buses will leave the Drop-in Center at 11 a.m. and return at 3 p.m. Lunches may either be taken along or purchased in the marketplace.

Don't wait until the last minute to sign up for this trip. There will be a closeout figure because of the cost of transportation.

Wilmington seniors' menu

Monday: Shake n Bake Turkey, Fluffy Rice or Sweet Potatoes, Buttered Green Beans, Cranberry Sauce, Bread and Butter, Pudding with Topping.

Tuesday: Chilled Juice, Cheeseburger on a Roll, French Fries, Corn, Brownies with Nuts.

Wednesday: Chilled Juice, Fisherman's Dinner (Haddock Portion),

Mashed Potatoes, Peas, Dinner Rolls, Butter, Upside Down Cake.

Thursday: Chilled Fruit, Lasagna, Buttered Carrots, Tossed Salad, French Bread and Butter, Midnight Chocolate Cake.

Friday: Soup, Tuna Noodle Casserole, Corn, Cole Slaw, Bread and Butter, Ice Cream and Cookies.

Minuteman Home Care menu

Served at Burlington Senior Citizens' Friendship Center, 45 Center Street, Burlington. Nutrition aide is Kay Cavanaugh. Call 272-9552 for reservations.

North Woburn-Wilmington: North Congregational Church, 896 Main Street, Woburn. Site manager is Louise Nunziato. Call 933-8643 for

reservations.

Reservations must be made by 11 a.m. of the day before planned participation. Menus are subject to change without notice. Transportation is available, especially for handicapped people.

Monday: Citrus Juice, Meatloaf, Brown Gravy, Mashed Potato, Corn, Purple Plums, Blueberry Muffin, Oleo and Milk.

Tuesday: Tossed Salad, French Dressing, Chicken Pot Pie, Peas, Applesauce, Chocolate Chip Cookie, Dinner Roll, Oleo and Milk.

Wednesday: Vegetable Soup, Crackers, Pot Roast, Gravy, Whipped Potato, Sliced Beets, Fresh Orange, Whole Wheat Bread, Oleo and Milk.

Thursday: Baked Fish, Creole Sauce, Parslied Potatoes, Carrots, Apple Crisp, French Bread, Oleo and Milk.

Friday: Baked Ham, Raisin Sauce, Au Gratin Potatoes, Green Beans, Peach Shortcake, Whipped Topping, Dinner Roll, Oleo and Milk.

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Town Crier Sports



State champ

Steve O'Keefe (top) is on his way to a win in his first match Friday afternoon at the state wrestling tourney. The 129 pound TMHS senior went on to take home the state title in his weight class and earn the right to compete in the New England Tournament this Saturday at Nashua High School.

State wrestling tourney

O'Keefe State Champ

Tewksbury High's Steve O'Keefe is a state champ - and his team didn't fair badly at all in the weekend tournament at Chelmsford High, picking up 69½ points for fifth place on the strength of three semifinalists - two of whom made it into the finals.

O'Keefe at 129 pounds and Dave Wakeen at 122 both reached the final round with O'Keefe coping a title with his workman-like mat work over this weekend feast for the wrestling faithful.

One hundred forty-eight pound junior Mike Keon was the other Tewksbury wrestler to make it to the semifinals with seniors Tim Kirchner (158) and Dave Puzzo (heavyweight) falling by the wayside in earlier competition.

The unseeded Kirchner won a match before being eliminated while Puzzo, a third seed in the tourney, was upset early on before advancing to consolation round competition.

The senior O'Keefe hung tough despite a groin pull to dump Burlington's John Dillingham 8-6 in the semifinals before topping second seeded Dave O'Connor of Weymouth North 11-6 in the title match. O'Keefe was the top seed in his weight class.

Wakeen went into the tourney as the third seed in his class and wrestled well with a 5-1 decision over Waltham's Joe DeStefano to reach the finals where he was edged 4-2 by Framingham South's Gordie Wrinn.

Second seeded Keon was tipped 10-5 by Wellesley's unseeded Ted Knott before coming home fifth in the 148

pound division.

Springfield Tech won the team title with 120 points with its closest rival being North Sectional champ Melrose with 83 points, a half point ahead of the host Chelmsford Lions who came home with 82½.

Wellesley was fourth with 79½ points followed by Tewksbury, Billerica (57), Newton North (53½), defending state champ Lowell (53) and Waltham (53).

For the first time ever in the history of the Division I Tournament a wrestler became a three time state champ as Billerica's Bob Almeida took the 108 pound crown with a win over Lowell's Phil Conroy in the finals. Almeida was the 101 pound champ as a sophomore and last year took home his first 108 pound title.

Seeded wrestlers had a tough time in this tourney, as none of the top four seeds made it to the finals of either the 148 or 158 pound divisions while the 141 pound crown was won by an unseeded wrestler. The tourney also saw non-seeds making it to the final rounds of the 188 pound and heavyweight classes.

O'Keefe now moves on to compete in the New England Tournament this Saturday at Nashua High School. The program gets underway at 9:30 a.m. with the finals starting at 7:30 p.m. The tourney will feature State Champions and runners up from New Hampshire, Vermont, Rhode Island, and Massachusetts in Divisions I and II. Wakeen will be an alternate in the tourney.

It's tournament time

Four teams start 'second' seasons

Three local hockey squads will open tournament play tonight (Feb. 28) as will the lone area basketball squad to qualify for Eastern Mass post season action.

The Tewksbury, Austin Prep and Shawsheen Tech hockey squads all face their first tourney tests tonight while the Shawsheen Tech girl hoopers are set to tangle with Hamilton-Wenham in a Division II tussle at Waltham High starting at 6 p.m. The winner of that game will move on to Reading High Thursday night to play the winner of the Matignon-Amesbury game.

The hockey action customarily draws the bulk of the local interest however and with three excellent local teams involved that interest should be at a fever pitch especially if all three teams advance to round two Friday night.

Coach John Corbett's Tewksbury Redmen, winners of eight of their last 10 games, will face off against South Boston in a Division I game tonight at the Babson College rink. Game time is 5:30.

Austin Prep, bridesmaids in the MVHL, takes on Natick High in another Division I game slated for 8:30 p.m. at the familiar Billerica Forum.

The Shawsheen Tech Rams are pitted against opponent Umana Tech of East Boston in a 5:30 p.m. game tonight at the Watertown Arena.

Previews of the opening round games:

Tewksbury vs South Boston

The Redmen (13-4-3) finished third and are coming off a non-league loss to Bedford to finish off a whirlwind season that saw them break and lift more than a few hearts inside of three weeks.

South Boston (10-3-2) is a solid, experienced group coached by Tom Aprile, a former goalie with the Lowell Chiefs.

The word on this Southie team is that it isn't spectacular - just a workmanlike group of kids who of course aren't afraid to take and give the body. South Boston strong points

are on defense and in goal.

Corbett has three solid lines led by seniors Ed Breen (10-16-26), Gary Richmond (14-10-24) and juniors Bob Dascoli (13-10-23) and Bob Doughty (9-15-23). Senior John Gonzalez will start in goal, having come up with several fine efforts for the Redmen over the course of the regular season.

The defense has also come on strong for TMHS as Bob Solon has rebounded from a bout with mononucleosis and the team has received solid efforts from Don O'Brien and captain Joe Silva. Senior wingman Bill Andella could also be a factor for Tewksbury.

The Redmen have been known to take the unnecessary penalty and they can't afford to let that problem get out of hand against South Boston. Tewksbury has the better skaters and can score quickly which is important in tourney play. Not many people know much about Southie - so that of course presents a problem. One can't look at this game as a mere warmup to Burlington (if the Redmen win they face Burlington at Merrimack College Friday at 8:30 p.m.).

Austin Prep vs Natick

This could be the best game of the first round as the Cougars (13-3-2) take on a strong skating Natick club that tied Norwood for the Bay State League title.

Natick features its league's best goalie, Dan Ryan who allowed but 22 goals in 18 games. Austin will put his talents to the test however with an offense that features MVHL scoring champ Tony Visone (28-31-59), Dan Cox (14-24-38), John Cummings (10-26-36) Rob Monleon (15-10-25) and Dave McDonald (8-17-25).

Natick was edged by Burlington 6-3 in last winter's Division I tourney. The Austin-Natick winner will take on the Hingham-Saugus winner Friday night at Ridge Arena starting at 8:30.

Shawsheen Tech vs Umana

The four time defending CAC champion Rams will be making their sixth straight tournament appearance and they are a good bet to go a long way in post season play.

Coach Don Ayer's team compiled a

16-2-0 CAC record and have some top notch scorers in the persons of CAC champ Bob Greenberg (30-36-66), Joe Williams (28-24-52), Dave Biamonte (16-24-40), Bill O'Boyle (22-17-39) and Joe Carr (5-29-34).

Veteran Joe Iozzo will start in goal fronted by an excellent defense led by Scott Isabelle. Iozzo sports a 2.11 goals against average going into the game.

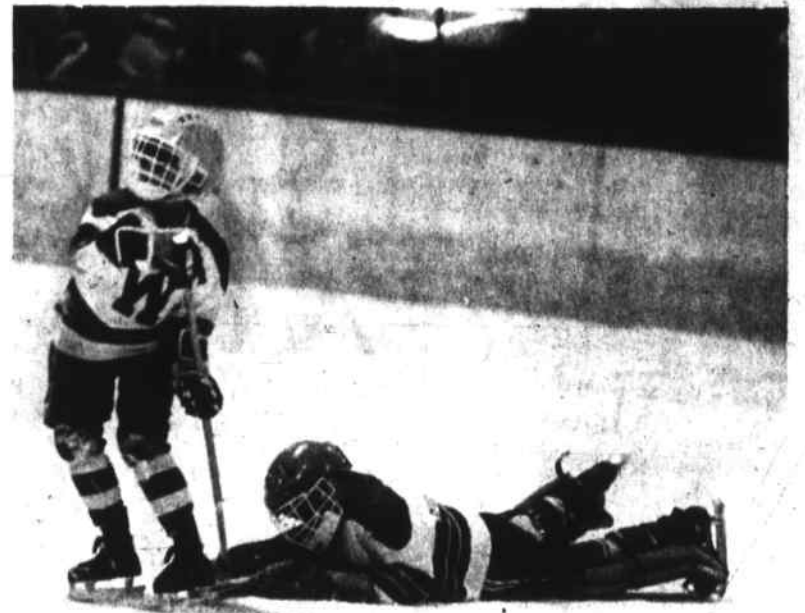
Umana posted an 8-3 mark in the Division III Boston Conference and could be handled easily by this strong

Shawsheen Tech team.

The winner moves on to play the survivor of the Nashua vs Wareham game. That tilt is slated for 8 p.m. Friday at Watertown.

Shawsheen Tech girls

The Shawsheen girls posted a 12-4 overall mark while Hamilton-Wenham finished its regular season at 14-3. The Tech club is paced by senior center Beth Gerade and senior guard Julie Tremblay. This will be the third straight tourney appearance for the Shawsheen girls.



With a little help from my friend

Squirt B goaltender Robbie Terrazano got some unexpected action and some expected help from teammate Mario Martiniello Friday night in Wilmington's 4-1 District 10 loss.

Wilmington Youth Hockey

Bantam A's champs

Wilmington's Bantam A's are the District 10 champs and the Squirt B's the District 10 runners-up after last week's Youth Hockey playoffs that saw the oldest and youngest of the Wilmington skaters surviving the rugged action that featured six Wilmington teams at the outset.

The Bantam A's earned the right to play at the Fitchburg Civic Center in further playoff action March 16, 17 and 18 with a 2-1 win over Cambridge Friday night at the WYIA.

Earlier in playoff action the Bantams posted wins over Stoneham (5-1), Somerville (5-2) and Wakefield (3-2).

Wilmington 2-Cambridge 1

Defenseman Jim Conti got Wilmington on the board at 8:25 of the first period and Darryl MacDonald later scored the game winner as the

champs supported the route-going performance of goalie Jeff Lux. MacDonald and John Cushing had the Wilmington assists.

Wilmington 3-Wakefield 2

The Bantams hung on to win perhaps the toughest game of the playoffs for the locals who were sparked by the fine netminding of Billy Redler. Redler and Lux both saw limited duty with the Wilmington High varsity hockey club as freshmen this past season.

Brian McLean pocketed a pair of goals for the winners and Frank Newark had a single lamplighter. George Boudreau had two assists with single helpers awarded to Newark and Donny Josephson.

Wilmington 5-Somerville 2

Ted Moran, Bob Williams, George

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Hockey tourney on tube

WXNE-TV 25 has announced plans to televise the Eastern Mass. High School Hockey Tournament.

The Hockey Night in Boston series will begin coverage Saturday, March 3 at 11 p.m. with play-by-play highlights of the opening round. Included will be interviews with coaches and players, scoring summaries and pairings.

Saturday, March 10 at 11 p.m. the

coverage will continue with quarter and semifinal highlights from the Boston Garden.

Finally, on March 17 the program will feature the Eastern Mass. Division I and II Championship games, followed by the announcement of the Hockey Night in Boston Annual Awards, including Player-of-the-Year, Top Goalie, Top Defenseman, and Scoring Champion.

Skating association dance

The Tewksbury Youth Skating Association will hold its second dance of the season Saturday, March 3 at the K of C Hall on Main Street, starting at

8 p.m. There will be prizes and refreshments available. Admission will be \$2.50 per person.

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The Tewksbury Department of Public Works, through its Park Department, is urging that all 1979 requests for use of park facilities by residents, various Town leagues, and all recreation and Town sponsored programs be made no later than Friday, March 16, 1979, so as to allow for proper scheduling of the fields and facilities throughout the year.

All requests are to be in writing and mailed to the Tewksbury Parks

Department, 288 Livingston Street, Tewksbury, Massachusetts 01876. All telephone inquiries can be directed to Mr. Ernest Lightfoot, Parks Foreman, at 851-3502, between 7:00 A.M. and 3:30 P.M., Monday through Friday.

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Tewksbury Rec basketball

Upsets highlight playoffs

The Tewksbury Girls Recreation Basketball League playoffs were highlighted by several upsets with Coakley's crew coming on strong in the final games to finish the winter season in first place.

A 31-30 squeaker past Bolton's Bombs clinched it for coach Ann Coakley's team. Monday action was highlighted by a 30-36 victory over Beeman and Farr's previously undefeated team as Susan Rheault led her team with 12 points. All-Star Rheault along with sister Mary, Joanne Lemelin, Deidra Gacek and Collette Chason contributed super games to finish with the league's best record at 6-1.

For Bolton's Bombs it was the superb shooting of Jody Frederico leading the way as All-Star Jody along with Maura Catalano and Patty Murphy combined to trigger Team II's strong finish. Marianne Bolton, Kris Smith and Jennifer Dunlevy all hit for key hoops in last week's playoff action.

Beeman and Farr's team hit the skids last week, but not without a tough fight as sharp-shooter Mary Jane O'Brien was high scorer for her team with 32 points. Aggressive play

was turned in by team I players Missy Riddle, Kim Reale, Debbie Fuller and Debbie Smith.

For Barbour's Bunch the winter season ended on a successful note with an exciting 39-38 win over Naumnik's Nuts. Mary Hills pumped in 42 points last week and Lucille Bunyan was tough on the boards. Patti Mascetti, in a strong effort, popped in a key basket for the winners.

Anne Marie Ramano and Kathy Galvin each contributed to the win as Barbour's team went on to defeat Team I 53-31 in the finale. Mary Hill, Lucy Bunyan and Patti Mascetti provided added firepower in the upset victory.

For Naumnik's Nuts, who were hot and cold all season, it was victory in the finale over Chase's and Deveau's team 56-39. Jackie Naumnik, Katie Albert, and Laurie Angelo were the gunners along with Chrissy Silk.

Chase and Deveau's team was paced by All-Stars Robin Riddle and June DeStefano. Nancy Saunders, Christine Mangano and the improved Sandy Hennessey gave Chase and Deveau's team a solid attack.

Final League standings
Coakley's Crew, Team 4 6 1

Bolton's Bombs, Team 2 4 3
Beeman and Farr's, Team 1 4 3
Naumnik's Nuts, Team 6 3 4
Barbour's Bunch, Team 5 3 4
Chase and Deveau, Team 3 1 6

Leading scorers
Patty Murphy 173
Jerrie Bernier 118
June DeStefano 103
Jody Frederico 85
Susan Rheault 83
Robin Riddle 74
Mary Jane O'Brien 58

All-Star Jamboree

The Tewksbury Recreation Basketball League's Jamboree is set for this Saturday night (March 3) at the high school with six all-star games on tap.

Girls all-stars in the junior, intermediate and senior leagues are slated for 6, 6:30 and 7 p.m. tap-offs respectively. The boys junior, intermediate and senior all-star games are scheduled for 7:30, 8 and 8:30.

Players are reminded to arrive 15 minutes before the start of their games. Tickets will be sold at the door Friday night.

Junior stars
Elizabeth Bush, Jeannie Sullivan,

Youth football

Wilmington's Youth Football program for 1979 has openings for a cheerleading head coach, cheerleading assistant coaches and football coaches.

Those interested should send resumes to Wilmington Youth Football, P.O. Box 337, Wilmington, Mass. 01887.

Open gym ends

The Wilmington Recreation Department's Open Gym Program for elementary, intermediate and high school students will end for the year after this Saturday, March 3.

Janice Troy, Jill Byers, Jodie Sutherland, Leann Babine, Susan Dec, Stephanie Vultaggio, Renee Lombardi, Karen Corbett, Kathy Breen, Debbie Bryne, Tricia Censullo, Janet Linehan.

Intermediate stars

Linda Ashdown, Laurie Anderson, Kerry O'Keefe, Beth Pelczar, Diane Richmond, Elaine Hill, Cheryl Tassinari, Cheryl Conway, Cindy Lobsein, Val Flaherty, Kerry McLaughlin, Christine Joyce, Sherri Lombardi, Meghan O'Keefe, Lisa Fahey.



Rick Cooke photo

It's tough shooting over this guy

West Intermediate seventh grader Dave Boudreau leaps in an attempt to block a North player's shot during the first half of Friday night's game.

Wilmington Winter Carnival

North tops West, 244-204

Last week marked the fifth annual Junior Winter Carnival showdown between the North and West Intermediate schools. In a fine display of skills, teamwork, brain and brawn, the two opposing forces staged one of the finest battles in Winter Carnival history.

At the conclusion of the four day battle, Coach Mike Tammara and his legion of North Intermediate troops found themselves on top for the third straight year with a 244-204 win.

The West Intermediate squad won the majority of team sports competition, but lost points in the individual competitions.

Some of the standouts for the respective schools were:

North: Dan Surrette, Charlie Athanasia, Frank O'Hearn, Susan Gillespie, Anne Ryan, Paul Holbrook, Eric Meuse, George Hanna, Michele DiGirolamo, Bob Perry, Dave Strand, Jim Hannon, Mary McNaughton, Tim Sullivan and Tim Robarge.

West: Cheryl Evans, Sharon Boudreau, Joe Pelletier, John Pelletier, Ed Olshaw, Jim Castellano, Brian Ouellette, Tony Cenca, Robert Ducharme, Stephen Schmitt, Cheryl Brascomb, Lisa Lombard and Tricia McGinley.

Rec news

Spring soccer program

The Wilmington Recreation Department is planning to have two teams this spring in the Middlesex Youth Soccer Association.

Practices and tryouts for the teams will start Wednesday, Feb. 28 at the West Intermediate gym and will switch to Monday evenings beginning March 5 at the North Intermediate gym.

Boys who would like to join the "B" team must be age 14 or under as of January 1, 1979. Their meetings will be from 6:30 to 7:45 p.m.

Those boys trying out for the "A"

team must be 16 or under as of January 1, 1979. They will meet from 8:00 to 9:15 p.m.

"B" team games are on Saturday afternoons; "A" team games are played on Sunday afternoons. The season runs from mid-April to mid-June.

The Recreation Department is looking for parents and other interested adults who would like to help expand the recreation soccer program. If you could assist in any way, call the Rec Office at 658-6512.

Ski trip March 3

The Wilmington Recreation Department will sponsor a ski trip to Ragged Mountain in Danbury, New Hampshire this Saturday, March 3.

Cost for the trip is \$12 and includes bus fare, lift ticket and ski lesson. Ski equipment can be rented at Ragged Mountain.

The bus will leave the high school

parking lot at 6:30 a.m. and will return home at approximately 7 p.m.

The trip is limited in size and anyone interested should return the permission form and pay the \$12 as soon as possible to either Mr. Malay at the high school or Mr. Swasey at the Rec. Office. Thursday, March 1 is the final day for making reservations.

Rec Yoga

The next session of the Wilmington Recreation Department's Yoga classes is about to start. There are a few openings left in this new six week course.

Classes will be held Tuesday evenings starting March 6 at the Glen Road School. Class time for Level I

Yoga is 8:10 p.m. to 9:40 p.m. with Level II classes at 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Cost for this program is \$10 per person. Anyone wishing to register should call the Recreation office at 658-6512.

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Wilmington's Squirt B's

Wilmington's Squirt B's are the District 10 runners up after Friday night's 4-1 loss. First row, l-r: Mike Minchello, Robbie Terrazzano, John Gillis, Andy Aresco, Sean Marsh, Marty Laquidara, Mario Martiniello, and Jim Murray.

Second row, l-r: Joey Costabile, Billy Steed, Todd Boudreau, John Mytych, Dan Woods, Mark Marranzini, and Sean Lambert.

Third row, l-r: assistant coach Jamie Boudreau, coach Jack Laquidara and manager Ed Laquidara.



Expect more of the same tonight

Tewksbury players Bobby Doughty (21) and Don O'Brien (25) go banging hard into the Wildcat net and goalie Rick Ballou during the 5-3 Tewksbury win that clinched a town championship. Expect more of the same tonight (Feb. 28) when the Redmen tangle with Southie.

Tewksbury Youth Hockey

Bantam A's rout Methuen

The Tewksbury Bantam A team put it all together Thursday with a 9-2 rout of Methuen. Hat tricks by John Morris and Bob Fowler highlighted the win with Morris starting the scoring with his first goal with help from Tom Carpenito and Bill Perrin.

Bob Fowler pocketed his first of three off a nice set-up from Jerry Carr and Mark Walsh. Methuen scored its only first period goal before Derek Vachon's shorthanded score assisted by Mike Dascoli and Greg Raposa.

In the middle period John Morris lit the lamp twice to earn his hat trick. Steve Spinazola helped on the first and the combination of Carpenito and Raposa assisted on the second Morris goal.

Bob Fowler's stick was still hot early in the final stanza as he popped home goals unassisted and shorthanded. Methuen scored its second goal of the game, but Tewksbury came back with Willie Byers and Vachon setting up Dascoli for a goal before Greg Raposa dumped another in off the stick of Dascoli. Bob Fowler later pocketed his third goal of the night with an assist to Mark Walsh.

Cambridge eliminates A's
The A's were entered in the state tournament over school vacation, but were eliminated by Cambridge 6-2. Tewksbury played two good periods before Cambridge put the pressure on in the final frame with three unanswered goals. The Cambridge Bantams later advanced to the District 10

finals. John Morris and Bill Perrin were credited for the two Tewksbury goals in the loss.

In their regular game that week the A's were routed by Billerica 10-2. Perrin and Raposa scored two goals in the loss.

In the previous week's game, Revere squeaked by 3-2 with Mike Dascoli starting the scoring in the first period with an assist from Bob Fowler. In the middle frame Revere scored twice, but Tewksbury's Bill Perrin tied the game on a beautiful short-handed goal. Midway through the final stanza Revere pocketed the final goal as Tewksbury was held in check by Revere's defense.

Goalie Ed Walsh played a super game in nets with good defensive work turned in by Mark Dulgarian.

Bantam B's win 11th

The Tewksbury Bantam B's scored their 11th win of the season Saturday night when they blanked Chelmsford 6-0 as goalie Paul Calistro posted his third shutout and Armin Dias scored the hat trick.

Dias scored the first goal with help from Chuck Peterson for the only rally of the first period. Keith Damouras scored the lone goal in the middle frame with Dias and Mike Murphy assisting.

Joe Seluk lit the lamp with a short-handed goal from Murphy at the start of the third period before Dias scored two more goals for his hat trick. Demouras and Herbie Post assisted on the first and the second score was unassisted. Paul Crowley rounded out the scoring with the final unassisted goal.

Dave Canelas, Brian Lambert, Peterson and Murphy did a super job on defense for the B's.

Haverhill nips Pee Wee B's

The Tewksbury Pee Wee B team lost to Haverhill 2-1 last week in a game that Tewksbury controlled for three periods. Good efforts were turned in by Scott Nelson in nets and Paul Picano on defense. The lone goal was scored by Jimmy Blum from Brian Keane and Paul Picano.

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Boudreau, Conti and MacDonald had the Bantam A goals with assists going to Moran (two), Ron Greenberg, MacDonald, Cushing, Newark and Conti. Wilmington wiped out a 2-1 Somerville first period lead to post the win.

Wilmington 5-Stoneham 1

Conti, Newark, Josephson and Boudreau paced the attack with lamplighters assisted by Billy Robinson, Williams, Greenberg, Boudreau and Newark. Redler and Lux split the netminding duties for the easy winners.

In league action Sunday the Bantam A's dropped a 4-3 decision to Winchester with McLean scoring two goals and Josephson helping the cause with a solo score. Cushing and McLean had the Wilmington assists.

Squirt B's runners-up

The Squirt B's will compete at Worcester March 9, 10 and 11 as the District 10 runners-up with a 4-0 blanking of Stoneham Wednesday morning setting the stage for a 4-1 loss to Medford at the WYIA Friday night.

Goalie Robbie Terrazzano took a shot off the elbow in the loss Friday night and was forced to leave the game in the third period when the swelling and pain began presenting a problem. Former intramural player John Gillis stepped in and did a fine job late in the game when Medford turned on the offense to post the win.

Medford 4-Wilmington 1

Todd Boudreau scored Wilmington's only goal late in the first period and that was the extent of the offense for the locals. Marty Laquidara and Andy Aresco had the assists on the Boudreau lamplighter.

Wilmington 2-Stoneham 0

A strong defense and the goaltending of Terrazzano sparked the Squirt B win in semifinal action at the WYIA Wednesday morning. Todd Boudreau and Billy Steed notched the Squirt goals with help from Aresco, Dan Woods and Jim Murray.

Wilmington Adult Hockey

Canteen clinches regular season title

Leo's Canteen 11-Fred F. Cain 1
Leo's did it all as they combined a high-scoring offense with a stingy defense to run over the Caimmen Sunday and clinch the regular season championship of the Wilmington Adult Hockey League.

John Carlino was the big Canteen gun with three goals and two assists, while Mike Teixeira had two goals and three assists and Alan Dunlevy tied for the scoring title with a goal and three helpers.

John Davis chipped in with a pair of scores and single goal scorers included Brian Walsh, Randy Stratton and Snooky Lynch.

Wally Newell had a second period Cain score to ruin team sponsor and goalie Leo O'Connell's bid for a shutout.

Tri-town 5-Bulldogs 3

Tri-Town scored twice in the first and second periods to offset single scores in each period by the Bulldogs to win their second straight.

Tewksbury Youth Hockey

The Tewksbury Pee Wee D team held its annual Father-Son game last Wednesday at the Forum with a 9-9 result.

Andy Scharmer Jr. led off the scoring with his father Andy Sr. respresenting in a white sweat band evening the score.

Youth Hockey from Page 11

Stoneham had beaten Wilmington three times in league play before last Wednesday's District 10 showdown.

Sunday in league play the Squirt's battled Medford to a 3-3 standoff with Billy Steed scoring two goals and Marty Laquidara pocketing a single lamplighter. Dan Woods had a pair of Wilmington assists with the other helpers going to Jim Murray, John Mytych and Andy Aresco.

Tewksbury hockey coaches

All those interested in becoming coaches or assistant coaches in the Tewksbury Youth Hockey program are advised that applications are now due.

A letter of application should be sent to Association Secretary Anne Duncan, 4 Chester Street, Tewksbury. A brief summary of the applicant's

Mercuri sparks Squirt III
Ray Mercuri's six goal scoring barrage paced Wilmington's Squirt III team to a 10-3 rout of Lawrence Saturday. Charlie Stokes pocketed two goals for Wilmington with Ed Cuoco and Sean Carroll pocketing one goal apiece.

Goalie Eric Peters (15 saves) was supported by the fine defensive play of Steve Lowry and John McNally.

hockey experience plus any other information which will help the board to make its decision should be included. Applicants are requested to state first and second choice of positions.

Coaches will be selected at the regular monthly board meeting March 20. All applications must be received no later than March 17.



Squirt's take the heat off

Squirt B's Marty Laquidara (left) and Mario Martiniello take some of the pressure off goalie John Gillis in the third period Friday night.

Standings

Leo's Canteen	19	9	1
Tri-Town Service	16	12	2
Chuckie's	15	12	2
Fred F. Cain	14	12	4
Bulldogs	4	23	3

Scoring

Fred Medugno, Cains	53	14	67
Alan Dunlevy, Leo's	34	33	67
John Davis, Leo's	26	21	47
Mike Gracia, Tri-Town	28	16	44
Buddy Yandle, Cain's	27	15	42
Brian Walsh, Leo's	19	21	40
Russ Myers, Tri-Town	17	23	40
Ken DeMaggio, Tri-Town	23	16	39
Steve Pellerin, Chuckie's	28	9	37
Doug Wain, Bulldogs	20	12	32
Don Ciampa, Bulldogs	11	21	32
Mike Teixeira, Leo's	22	9	31
Jay Walden, Chuckie's	19	11	30
Brian Harvey, Bulldogs	12	18	30
Wally Newell, Cain's	23	6	29

Tom Gannon scored for the fathers and Howard Pellerin took off on a beautiful swan dive to add a little more excitement to the tussle. John Caisey watched as John Pellerin pumped home his second of the night

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McAdoo just can't do 'it' for Celts

by Rick Cooke

Bob McAdoo simply hasn't done it - the it being lead the Celtics in a final surge for the playoffs. With a little more than 20 games left to play in the regular season, Celtics owner John Y. Brown saw fit to further disrupt this team just when coach Cowens and general manager Auerbach (I presume that is still his job) had achieved a form of roundball nirvana after riding the wave of disruptions brought to town by Brown-ie: Marvin Barnes, Billy Knight and a very large owner's ego.

But Cowens and Auerbach should have known better. The New York Knicks dangled a truly great force on offense in front of Brown knowing that he'd go for the bait. Anyone who signed Johnny Neumann and Bird Averitt to million dollar contracts in Buffalo has to have an affliction for someone who can put the ball in the basket.

Unfortunately, John Y. scoring points isn't necessarily what wins basketball games - unless you're the San Antonio Spurs and have eight guys who can score 20 points before they even break a sweat. It also isn't likely that the Spurs will win an NBA title in the near future. If they do then I'll be sold on the reigning - and astute - cry that the NBA is really degenerating.

You see, Brown carries an ego to match his rather large money belt.

He almost always gets what he wants. Billy Knight, Marvin Barnes, Nate Archibald, Bob McAdoo, Phyllis George.

Or is it Miss George who gets what she wants? The afternoon before the McAdoo trade that sent three first round picks and scrappy center Tom Barker to the Knicks she was heard telling Johnny Most's halftime audience that McAdoo is a truly great player. There you are Phyllis, one gift wrapped scoring machine to go.

As you can tell I'm slightly wary of Brown and his philosophy that having five guys who can score 20 points on the floor at the same time naturally means that the team will win. It has never worked that way, John Y. Never.

McAdoo may yet fit in and I'll have a more concrete idea on the matter after seeing the team play San Diego at the Garden Friday night.

There are a number of reasons why I'm still not sold on the deal however. The most prominent flaw that hits you right in the face, although Auerbach has said the timing of the trade was fine - the best time to deal is when you're winning sayeth Arnold - I think the timing was rather poor when you consider that the team finally had some semblance of a nucleus for next year.

The team was winning without the

McAdoo deal and it's likely that they could have - (but I doubt it) overhauled New Jersey for the final playoff spot without him. Bringing in another player at this late stage only complicates the matter for the coach and the players and losing the popular Barker may have affected team morale more than we think.

Brown's motivation could have been to grab the playoff money and use it to sign Larry Bird - a necessity now if this franchise is even to survive - much less make the playoffs in the near future - and (yes I am sober) eventually move into a decent place to play their games.

That is the only logical reason I can see for making this deal. Playoff money means the cash for Bird's bundle. Please don't tell me that there weren't three good - not great - but good, college players who together with Bird could have helped this team more than McAdoo. The Celtics didn't have to draft three sure-fire starters, just three guys who could fill the seams and cracks in the system that has been eroded over the past two years.

I can't believe that they'll keep McAdoo if they don't make the playoffs. I hope they don't because Brown will have his concept of play proven out - at least in his mind.

Let's trade McAdoo, a great shooter who has good market value around the league, to San Diego for Kermit Washington and a first round draft pick. Perhaps Randy Smith for Mac even up, as the need for a penetrating quick guard grows greater every time I see Don Chaney limping off the bench to report into the game.

John, you've gotten what you've wanted this year - now give us what we want - namely Bird and a team. A Celtic team.

Please.

Goldstein to get Olympic tryout Tewksbury resident Scott Goldstein, a goalie for the Assabet Valley Tomahawks, has been invited to try out for the 1980 United States Olympic hockey team.

The first phase of the tryout is March 27-29 at Danvers Rink and if Goldstein passes that test he'll move on to the final tryouts at the Sports Festival in Colorado Springs, Colorado, July 27-August 2.

Goldstein has helped lead the Tomahawks to a 25-2-3 record for first place in the American Major Junior Hockey League.

Tewksbury girls return home The Tewksbury varsity and freshmen girls basketball teams returned home Sunday after making the roundball rounds of Chateaugay, Canada Friday and Saturday.

The girls played Canadian teams in separate games Friday night, Saturday morning and Saturday night and were treated to a tour of the Olympic sites in Montreal.

Soccer team honored The Tewksbury Recreation Soccer League's under 14-year-old champs were honored at a banquet at the Andover K of C Monday night where they were presented with championship jackets.

Tewksbury varsity coach Steve Levine reports that the money for the jackets was raised by a raffle. TMHS Athletic Director Michael Sullivan was the featured speaker.

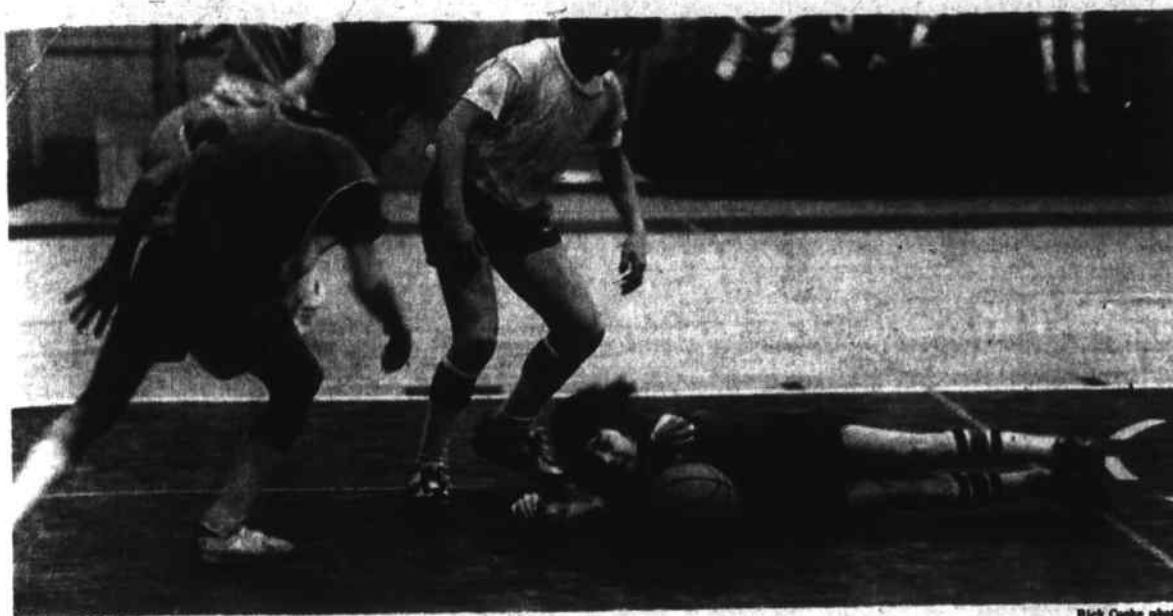
Seventy-four friends and parents of the players attended. The total should have read 75 - but car trouble and the ice storm kept me from attending I'll catch your next championship banquet guys.

McLeish, Prince conclude careers Dave McLeish and Chris Prince, two former Tewksbury High basketball standouts who helped lead the Redmen to their last MVC championship in 74-75, have concluded their respective collegiate roundball careers on high notes.

McLeish, a senior center for a strong Coast Guard Academy team, was named to the ECAC Division III honor roll last week as the Cadets improved their record to 16-2. Big Dave hauled down 19 rebounds and scored 37 points during his recent surge.

Prince, a smooth shooting guard, canned 16 points in his final home game for the University of Lowell last week, a 100-86 win over Norwich University that improved their record to 11-14. ULowell is coached by former TMHS coach Tony Romano.

Street hockey, anyone? The Tewksbury Junior High street hockey tournament, in its sixth year and going strong, continues this week with a champion to be crowned Wednesday.



In pursuit of the ball - and some floor burns

The North Intermediate's Jay Barrett dives on the floor in pursuit of the basketball and perhaps a few floor burns as well. West Intermediate defenders Dan Brooks (left) and Paul Bossi are impressed by Barrett's dive. All three boys are seventh graders who played in the North-West roundball showdown at the high school Friday night.

Tewksbury Adult Basketball

Manna, Meuse trigger Sullivan's

Mike Manna and Jimmy Meuse triggered a second half rally that drove the resurgent Sullivan's Insurance past league-leading Wang Labs 86-69 in Tewksbury Adult Basketball League action Thursday night.

Sullivan's rebounded from a first quarter deficit to even the count at 42-42 by halftime before Manna and Meuse, with help from veteran guard Doug Anderson, fired the second place club into a commanding lead.

Sullivan's, playing without starting center Mickey Sullivan, improved its record to 9-4 while avenging two earlier blowout losses to the Wang Gang.

Manna took game high honors with 29 points after surviving four first half fouls. Meuse was next in line with 19 points and Anderson chipped in 16.

Ted Faber topped the Wang scorers with 13 points and Art Harris, Fred Stec and Russ Dufresne each had 12 as the losers saw their record slip to 8-3.

In the night's first game, last place Jade East clipped an undermanned M&S Mobil club 56-48 with smooth shooting center Tim Teague pacing the winners with 24 points. Bob Welch hit for 12 Jade points with help from Shawn Warren (11) and Doug Beecy (10).

Keith Caveney hooped 20 points for Mobil while Brian Irwin canned 19 and guard Gene Manley 16.



Manna leads Sullivan's rout

This Thursday's games (at the high school): 7 p.m., Branding Iron vs Wang Labs; 8:30 Paint and Hardware vs Sullivan's Insurance.

Sullivan's Insurance forward Mike Manna gets a firm grip on the basketball enroute to a layup for two of his 29 points in Thursday night's 86-69 Adult League rout of first place Wang Labs. Wang players Art Harris (20) and Russ Dufresne (15) couldn't stop the former Tewksbury High standout. In the background trailing the play is referee Dave Magee.



Pinkies out for passing

M&S Mobil guard Gene Manley displays the pinkies out passing technique in his team's 56-48 loss to the Jade East in Tewksbury Adult Basketball League action Thursday night. The Jade East defender is Bob Welch (33).

Rout Billerica, 7-0

Redmen, Wildcats lead Stars

Redmen forwards Ed Breen and Gary Richmond pocketed two goals apiece and Wildcat netminder Rick Ballou was his steady self in goal as the MVHL All-Stars drubbed the champion Billerica Indians 7-0 in the first annual MVHL All-Star game played at the Hallenborg Rink Wednesday night.

Ballou split the netminding chores as Dracut High's Pete Pascoe and the Stars dominated the game, limiting the MVHL champs to 15 shots in a 25-15 shot on goal edge.

The All-Stars jumped out to a 2-0 first period lead on two goals by Tewksbury's Breen. The Redmen senior scored his first goal with help from Wilmington's Steve Mickle at 9:07 of the opening stanza.

Twenty seconds later Breen beat Billerica goalie Bob O'Connor again, with another assist going to Mickle who played a fine all around game for coach Brian Hayes' stars.

The Stars could have grabbed a 3-0 first period lead, but an earlier goal

by Andover's Paul Farnham was called back when it was batted in by a high stick.

The Stars upped the count to 3-0 at 10:29 of the second period with Chelmsford's Phil Murphy beating a screened O'Connor. Billerica's offense finally got untracked in the middle period as Ballou and Pascoe came up with four fine saves apiece during this busy stretch.

The third period saw the winners ripping through the Indian defense to beat junior goalie Brian Ostedio four times. Richmond notched his two goals six minutes apart in this period, the first score coming with the Stars short-handed with Mickle serving time for an interference penalty.

Chelmsford's George Popp and Austin Prep's Tony Visone - the MVHL scoring champ with 59 points - rounded out the All Star scoring.

Wilmington's Dave Ballou also played a fine game for the stars. His brother Rick made six saves while Pascoe came up with nine.

McNamara MVHL All-Star

Brian J. McNamara of Wilmington has been elected to the Merrimack Valley Conference All-Star Hockey Team. McNamara is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McNamara of 58 Lawrence Street. Brian played defense for the MVHL stars in Wednesday's 7-0 blanking of Billerica.

McNamara has been playing varsity for the Austin Preparatory School in Reading for the past three years, coming back this winter after being

sidelined by an injury last year. The Austin junior has also won a varsity letter for soccer and played in the school's intramural softball program for the past three years.

The aggressive play of McNamara was an important factor in Austin's successful season as the team grabbed second place in the MVHL. The team is currently looking forward to playing in the Eastern Massachusetts Tournament.

Track tidbits

Redmen, Wildcats place in State track

Tewksbury placed sixth in a 28 school field at the State Indoor Track Class Championship Feb. 19 with senior high jumper-hurdler Jim Jones accounting for the 14 Redmen points.

Jones was second in the 50 yard hurdles with a 6.7 time and took third in the high jump with a leap of 6'4".

Two miler John Stewart took seventh in his race with a personal best time of 10:02.0. Mark Fougere was eighth in the mile with a personal best clocking of 4:40.0.

Curt Smolinsky advanced to the semifinals for Tewksbury in the 600 with a 1:21.9 second place time.

The Wilmington tracksters picked up two fifth place finishes in Class C for four points. Senior Wildcat Roger Coville placed fifth in the hurdles at 6.8 with Rich Desforges fifth in the 300 cash with a time of 35.6.

TMHS tracksters place

The Tewksbury High School indoor track team placed in the upper division of the Northern Area Track Meet held recently at the Beverly Field House with more than 35 teams competing for top honors.

to give the sons a 5-2 lead. The father's later scored to cut the lead before Charlie Roux pocketed a goal to make the count 5-4.

John Aylward evened the score at the start of the middle frame and Barry Mahoney, who is accustomed to hustling between the refrigerator and TV, misfired on a breakaway.

Following close behind, with a cigar in his mouth, came huffing and puffing Leo Bourgea. Andy Scharmer Jr. followed with his second goal of the night, putting the boys ahead 6-5.

The men evened the score again with another goal and Dick Campbell laid out Timmy Campbell with a nifty trip.

The meet was won by Methuen with several area teams also doing well. Andover finished third while Chelmsford and Tewksbury tied for sixth place. Billerica also scored high with a 10th place finish.

Jim Jones set a new high jump record at 6'5 1/4" and tied the 50 yard high hurdles record at 6.6 seconds. John Stewart (two mile), Mark Fougere (mile), Joe Bernardi (1000), Mark Antinoro (600) and Jones were Tewksbury's top performers.

An outstanding performance was turned in by the Billerica relay team as they also set a new record in the two mile relay with a fine time of 8:33.2. The Indians also placed in the mile relay with a 3:43 clocking. Chelmsford and Tewksbury scored 18 points while Billerica tallied 16 in Northern Area competition.

Jones sets records

High jumper-hurdler Jim Jones, set new records at the local and state meet competition for the Tewksbury High winter track squad and finished the season with 79 points in dual meet competition. Jones' best dual meet

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Leo Bourgea wound up with a tremendous third period slap shot that hit the post on an empty net and Andy Scharmer Sr. was sent to the penalty box by referees Mike Fletcher and Jimmy Teaf for tripping his son.

Eric Roux put the boys ahead again with a tremendous shot cheered by his mother and sister-in-law in the bleachers before Eric Krueger shot on his brother Karl who made a super save.

Barry Mahoney set up John Aylward to even the score and again Scott Sullivan lit the lamp to put the boys in the lead as Dick Campbell came weaving down the ice to pocket the puck and take the lead.

time in the 50 yard hurdles was 6.5 in a meet against Methuen at Phillips Academy. His best high jump was 6 feet 5 1/4 inches at Methuen vs Wilmington.

John Stewart, a TMHS distance track star, scored 48 points and posted a fine 10:10.5 two mile run at Andover vs Chelmsford this past season. Miller Mark Fougere scored 42 points and ran a 4:41 mile at Harvard this past season and Curt Smolinsky picked up 35 points and ran a 1:22.8 at Andover against Chelmsford. Joe Bernardi scored 32 points to pace the TMHS sophomores.

Other top TMHS scorers include Jeff West (shot put), John Wolfe (50 yard dash), Dan Bradley (shot put), Jim Blute (300 yard dash), and Dave Fudge (two mile run).

Tewksbury also received scoring help from senior Paul Busser, Nick Romano, Ken Noylan, Terry McCarthy, Mark Richard, Wayne Benson, Chris Murphy, Dennis Rapoza and Ray Maillet. West, Wolfe (sprints), Blute (sprints) and Fudge (distance) are expected to be big point getters in spring track.

Charlie Roux scored his second of the night to give the fathers the lead again.

Scott Sullivan scored his third goal of the night for the hat trick and the 9-9 tie.

Slap shots...Tommy and Ed Fletcher, two super hockey players, spent most of the night shadowing each other. Gerry Gannon kept the dads at bay with some fine forechecking and Bobby Troy tried his famous basketball clearing shot only once during the game.

Tom McVey modeled a cute helmet with Bill Troy shagging loosepucks in the stands. Jo Scharmer, Pat Sullivan and Rita Bourgea were three fans who made themselves heard.